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BIRTHS.

HOLLIDAY—July 11, 1925, at 2 Clogrennan terrace, Limerick, the wife of Tom Holliday, a daughter.

HUME—July 15, 1925, at Empangeni, Zululand, South Africa, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hume, a son (Leslie Walter). (By cable.)

RUSSELL—July 10, 1925, at "Avalon," Bushy Park road, the wife of Captain Norman Russell, I.A.R.O., a son.

RUSSELL—July 15, 1925, at 89 Lower Baggot street, wife of G. H. Russell, R.A.F., a son.

MARRIAGE.

O'DONNELL and HERON—July 8, 1925, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, by the Rev. A. E. Hughes, M.A., Rector, William Henry, M.R.I.A.I., son of the late William H. O'Donnell, of Clontarf, to Eileen Georgina, daughter of the late F. J. Heron, and of Mrs. Heron, 25 Waterloo place, Dublin.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BOW—July 15, 1925, at 1 Alexandra road, East Wall, William John, fourth eldest son of James and Agnes Bow. Deeply regretted. "At rest." Funeral to Mount Jerome Cemetery to-morrow (Friday) at 10 a.m.

BURKE—July 15, 1925, at a Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Tobias Burke, late of Rockforrest, Roscrea, County Tipperary. R.I.P. Requiem Mass at St. Cronin's, Roscrea, to-morrow (Friday) morning, 11 o'clock (new time). Funeral, 1.30, to family burial place, Glankeen, Borrisoleigh. No flowers, by request.

CORISH—July 15, 1925, at the residence of her sister, 53 Cadogan road, Dublin, Mary Teresa (Mallie), dearly-beloved wife of Raymond P. Corish, Odessa, Wexford, and daughter of the late Edward Godfrey and Mrs. Godfrey, George's street, Wexford. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be conveyed by motor to-day (Thursday), arriving Wexford 4 p.m. Funeral to-morrow (Friday) at 1.30 p.m. (new time) to Ballingly Abbey.

DOUGLAS—May 30, 1925, at Germiston Station, South Africa, the result of an accident, William Edward (of the G.P.O.), eldest son of Mrs. E. Douglas, 49 North Strand road, Dublin.

DOUGLAS—July 14, 1925, at the Adelaide Hospital, Dublin, Alexander Douglas, of Lisabally, Londonderry, third son of Mrs. E. Douglas, 49 North Strand road, Dublin.

DYER—July 10, 1925, at her residence, "Berry Hill," Inistioge, Anne Kate, widow of the late Gwynne Dyer. "Absent from the body, present with the Lord." Funeral took place on Sunday, 12th inst.

FITZPATRICK—At his residence, Melrose, 55 Tritonville road, Sandymount, Dublin, James Fitzpatrick. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral private.

GILBERT—July 15, 1925, at his residence, 82 Chaworth place, South Circular road, Dublin, Robert Gilbert, after a long illness. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing wife and children. "Now the labourer's task is o'er." Funeral to-morrow (Friday) morning to Borris, County Carlow.

HICKIE—July 15, 1925, at her residence, Cliff House, Ballybunion, Mary Hickie, relict of the late Michael Hickie, Listowel. Solemn Requiem High Mass to-morrow (Friday) morning. Funeral to The Abbey, Ballylongford, 12 o'clock (old time), to-morrow (Friday).

JEFFARES—July 11, 1925, at Castle Lodge, New Ross, Philip Augustus, dearly-loved husband of Lucy Jeffares. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God." Interred at Saint Mary's Churchyard, New Ross, July 13th.

STEEN—July 12, 1925, at Ilford, Sarah Lyle Steen, widow of the late Rev. George Steen, M.A., of Keady, in her 82nd year.

STONE—July 13, 1925, at Richmond Hospital, Dublin, William Stone, formerly of Waterford, in his 86th year. Funeral took place yesterday (Wednesday) to Mount Jerome.

THOMPSON—July 15, 1925, at his residence, Woburn, Kenilworth Park, suddenly, William Samuel Thompson, beloved husband of Martha A. Thompson. "With Christ, which is far better." Funeral arrangements later.

WALTON—July 14, 1925, at his residence, Leeson Park, aged 58 years. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family. R.I.P. Funeral this morning at 10.30 o'clock from Rathmines Church for Glasnevin.

WHITTEN—July 13, 1925, John Samuel, of Glenavon, Lindsay road, Dublin, youngest son of the late Georges F. Whitten, Grand Canal Harbour. "Rock of Ages, cleft for me." Funeral (private) to St. George's Burial Ground this (Thursday) morning, 10.30.

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BUILDER'S Foreman—Competent Man Wanted for a job in Dublin.—R 1348, this office. 14 F

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GROCERY and Provisions—Wanted, smart Junior Assistant for provincial town. Address "Z 1595, Assistant," this office. 13 E

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WANTED, Executive Clerk, not a bookkeeper, age about thirty years, capable assuming responsibility, handling correspondence, also knowledge of Sales routine; must be quick, accurate, and have good personality; American experience very desirable; equitable remuneration to right man; replies must contain full particulars.—R 958, this office. 9 D

WANTED, Lady Help, young, active (Protestant), cook, sew; afternoons, from 1.30; outdoor.—R 1183, this office. 13 E

WANTED, smart, energetic young Lady (Methodist) to take charge of Millinery Dept.; must have good experience of trimming, for provincial town in South. Address, stating age, salary expected (indoor), with copies of references, "Z 1611, Lady," this office. 14 C

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WANTED, good, steady Man to fire a Galloway two flue boiler on waste timber and sawdust, also to take charge of engine. Also Wanted good Push Bench Sawyer; must be quick and ready and work band saw; state wages. Address "Z 1675, Man," this office. 15 A

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LAUNDRESS Wanted, good washer and ironer, and assist in kitchen, small hotel; wages £24; also Housemaid, wages £20; copies references, age.—R 123, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 13 F

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WANTED immediately, Married Man, Steward, County Sligo Golf Club, Rosses Point; Wife must be good Caterer.—Secretary, Golf Club, Rosses Point, Co. Sligo. 13 D

WANTED, good Cook General, small hotel, at once; or good Kitchenmaid; wages £35. Address "Z 1657, Cook General," this office. 13 D

WANTED, first class Chef. Apply, with references, the Manager, Wicklow Hotel. 15 A

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WANTED, by refined Lady, position Assistant Manageress or Housekeeper, in city hotel, with view to learning routine, first week September. Address "Z 1602, Manageress," this office. 14 F

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WANTED, gentleman's place, Working Steward; must understand all machinery, cattle and horses, be capable of getting work done and a worker himself. Address "Z 1585, Steward," this office. 13 E

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WANTED, good Plain Cook, age about 40; three servants. Address "Z 1633, Cook," this office. 14 F

WANTED, experienced Cook; good references; 2 in family; house parlourmaid kept; Ballsbridge. R 1399, this office. 15 E

WANTED, a good Cook for country place near Queenstown; must have good references. Apply Bagwell, Eastgrove, Queenstown, Co. Cork. 15 A

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FIREWOOD Bundling Machine for Sale, make any size bundles, cheap.—R 1198, this office. 13 E

FOR Sale, Child's Cot and Go Car, perfect condition.—57 Wellington road.

GALVANISED Wire Netting, 50 yards 10/6. Send for new list, Staveley's Stores, 137 Parnell street, Dublin. 11 D

HOLIDAYS—Suit Cases, Cabin Trunks and all Travelling Requisites can be had at the Railway Lost Property Office, 51 Lower O'Connell street, at very low prices. 3 X

LEFT on Sale, Willcox and Gibbs Hand Sewing Machine, in perfect order; cheap.—23 Dawson street.

RICK Covers, Sacks, Waterproof Covers, Tents, etc. Sale or Hire, on best terms.—M. Coleman, 25 Chancery street. 26 16

SACKS AND WATERPROOF COVERS, TARPAULINS, CART AND LOIN COVERS.
PETRIE BROTHERS, MANUFACTURERS,
35, 36 and 37 USHER'S QUAY,
DUBLIN. X

SALE, Hip Bath; real Japanese Dressing Gown; lady's Cloak.—R 1447, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock.

WORLD'S Finest Pen—Scott-Multi, 14ct. gold nibs, self filler (look for white spot; mark of pen supremacy); guaranteed; 10/6, post free; broad, medium, or fine.—Agent, S. Mason, Church avenue, Sandymount, Dublin. All leading stationers. 15 E

SPECIFIC ARTICLES WANTED.

ANTIQUE Silver Cups, Candlesticks, Salvers, Sugar Bowls, etc.; also Diamond Ornaments, Precious Stones and Old Gold; highest prices given.—West and Son, Grafton House, Grafton street. T

ARTIFICIAL Teeth, old or broken, Wanted; Disused Jewellery, Gold and Silver, Scrap, may be converted into immediate cash; tip top prices. Call or post to Davis, 50 Grafton street, Dublin. 22 27

BENSONS give top prices for Artificial Teeth, Old Gold and Silver, Broken Watches, and Chains; parcels attended to promptly.—51 Mary street, Dublin. 22 11

BILLIARD Table, 9 feet 6 inches or there about, in good condition; Cues, Balls, etc.; state lowest price.—R 1395, this office.

DIAMONDS, Old Gold, Antique Silver, Miniatures, etc., Purchased for cash.—Edmond Johnson, Ltd., 94 Grafton street. T

FEATHER BEDS WANTED.
Highest prices given. Will send to examine in city.
IRISH FEATHER CO., LTD., TARA ST., Dublin.
IRISH FIRM. 'Phone 651. T

SEWING Machine Wanted, Hand, Willcox and Gibbs, perfect condition.—Stanford House, Foxrock. 14 F

WANTED, Secondhand Tennis Net, must be in good condition, price moderate. Apply O'Ferrall, Viewmount, Longford.

WANTED, plain Flat Desk, with side drawers; also Gas Fire; state price.—R 1389, this office. 15 A

3/- PER Tooth given for Old False Teeth on metal. Cash sent return post.—Dental Depot, 4 Garfield street, Belfast. 26 2

MACHINERY.

CABINETMAKERS—Machinery and Tools of every description stocked and supplied.—Booth Brothers, Dublin. X

DOYLE'S Champion Diggers—Sweep the potato fields clean; light, strong and durable. Prices reduced. Works, Wexford. 8 14

FOR Sale, Rails suitable for Girders, Uprights for Hay Sheds, Gate Posts, etc.; new, Galvanised Barbed Wire; 10ft. Boiler Tubes and Bed Angles suitable for fencing.—McGowan Brothers, Store street, Dublin. 18 T

FOR Sale, National Electric Lighting Type Crude Oil Engine, 30 h.p.; twelve months' guarantee. Apply National Gas Engine Co., 186 Pearse street, Dublin. 11 F

FOR Sale, 16 Willcox and Gibbs High Speed Stitching Machines, in perfect order; also Benching, Shafting, etc., for same. Apply to the Mourne Manufacturing Co., Strabane. 15 A

WANTED, 110 Volt 80 Amp. Switchboard; also Battery for same; must be cheap and in good condition.—R 1151, this office. 13 E

WANTED, Lathe, 8" centre, 9 foot bed, sliding, surfacing, screw cutting, good condition.—Reply R 1313, this office. 14 F

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BANK CHANGES.

The following staff transfers and other changes in the Irish Banks for the month of July are officially announced in the current number of the *Irish Banking Magazine*. The list is somewhat shorter than usual, as the Bank of Ireland changes for the month have not been supplied up to date, as sometimes happens:—

Belfast Bank.—Messrs. J. A. F. Swann, Strabane to Portrush; R. J. Cunningham, Portrush to Strabane; E. T. C. Bell, Armagh to Head Office; A. S. Dudgeon, Coleraine to Armagh; A. R. Todd, entered at Kilkeel; W. I. Morrow, entered at Head Office; H. L. Thornberry, entered at Coleraine; F. C. W. Greer, Head Office, resigned on superannuation; Miss M. B. Heney, Ballymena, to Head Office.

Hibernian Bank.—Messrs. M. Caden, Mullingar to Sligo; P. McLaughlin, Sligo to Mullingar; B. Traynor, Portumna to Edenderry; M. C. Flanagan, Edenderry to Rathfriland; T. Jones, Rathfriland to Portumna; S. J. Halpin, Mullingar to Newbridge; G. M. Byrne, Monaghan to Kilkenny; F. D. McDonnell, O'Connell street, Dublin, to Monaghan; C. Gaffney, Kilkenny to Naas.

Munster and Leinster Bank.—Messrs. J. F. O'Callaghan, New Ross to Phibsborough, Dublin; T. MacRory, Strabane to Dame street, Dublin; R. Bourke, O'Connell street, Dublin, to Head Office; J. J. Barry, Cahir, to O'Connell street, Dublin; W. P. Curran, Newmarket to Macroom; J. R. MacCabe, Rathdowney to Newmarket; H. S. Dawson, Limerick to Rathdowney; E. R. Martin, Tarbert to Midleton; B. J. Rossiter, Enniskillen to Limerick; G. D. Griffith, Navan to Enniskillen; T. H. P. McCormack, Head Office to Carlow; M. Canty, Head Office to Rathdowney; J. Minhear, Manager at Macroom, deceased; P. J. Foley, Limerick, deceased; Miss E. M. A. Powell, Head Office, resigned; Miss C. MacSwiney, Dame street, Dublin, resigned; Messrs. J. C. Ward, entered at New Ross; M. McHugh, entered at Strabane; J. O'Sullivan, entered at Cahir; W. Horgan, entered at Tarbert.

National Bank.—Messrs. P. J. Long, Cork to Doneraile; G. Fitzgerald, Doneraile to Cork; F. E. S. Humphries, Longford to Belmullet; R. G. Neill, Dunmore to Longford; W. B. Woods, Miltown-Malbay to Midleton; W. G. Feeney, Newcastle West to Miltown-Malbay; F. Finegan, Rathkeale to Sligo; R. J. Maume, Dublin to Kilkenny; W. J. Pain, Midleton to Athlone; M. Grealy, Dublin to Mullingar; A. G. Harris, Mullingar to Dublin.

Northern Bank.—Messrs. R. F. Bradley, Head Office to Dromore; F. J. Byrne, Derry to Omagh; A. W. Brown, Boyle to Ball's; G. E. Robertson, Grafton street, Dublin, to Boyle; R. Thompson, Downpatrick to Head Office; T. J. Forde, Coleraine to Grafton street, Dublin; W. P. E. Gilmour, Bray to Derry; V. S. Boyle, Aughnacloy to Ball's; J. Doyle, Head Office, Aughnacloy; A. K. Tully, Keady to Kilrea; J. Bullick, Derry to Keady; W. A. Creighton, Head Office to Derry; W. T. McElvogue, Head Office to Dungiven; R. J. Farr, Head Office to Downpatrick; J. F. Bristow, Head Office to Antrim road; G. W. Chittick, Kilrea to Head Office; C. V. Purdon, Ball's to Bray; R. H. A. McFerran, Antrim road, resigned; R. C. Warrington, Grafton street, Dublin, resigned; W. Crawford, entered at Head Office; W. T. McElvogue, entered at Head Office; Miss J. Neill, entered at Head Office; Miss G. M. Cinnamond, entered at Head Office.

Provincial Bank.—Messrs. W. H. P. F. Giles, Belfast, to be Assistant Accountant there; H. P. J. Keller, Carrick-on-Suir to Castleisland; J. Hayes, Kanturk to Limerick; J. E. Johnston, Tralee to Kanturk; J. J. Mulcahy, Tralee, to be Teller there; Miss E. M. Doyle, Limerick to Grafton street, Dublin.

Royal Bank.—Messrs. J. D. Mooney, Head Office to Smithfield; W. Keating, entered at Head Office; J. F. Morrow, entered at Head Office; J. T. Keegan, entered at Foster place; E. P. Milne, entered at Foster place; E. W. Chadwick, entered at Foster place; Miss M. O'Reilly, Smithfield to Foster place.

Ulster Bank.—Messrs. W. S. Anderson, Head Office to Donaghadee; G. A. Deans, Newtownards to Head Office; J. W. Carter, Head Office to Cornmarket; N. G. Leeper, Mountpottinger to Donegall place; R. H. Shepperd, Markets to Donegall place; A. Grant, Newry to Markets; J. McConnell, Strabane to Mountpottinger; C. W. Lester, Garvagh to Strabane; J. Harvey, Arva to Head Office; H. R. Sinclair, Head Office to Banbridge; A. D. Erskine, Banbridge to Newry; H. Knox, Head Office to Garvagh; W. Ellis, Carlisle Circus to Head Office; D. C. Browne, Dromore to Strabane; W. J. Ramage, Strabane to Head Office; T. W. McNinch, Magherafelt to Carlisle Circus; A. D. McDowell, Head Office to Magherafelt; M. H. Glynn, Manorhamilton to Sligo; J. A. O'Dwyer, Longford to Head Office; A. De W. MacDermott, Cavan to Longford; D. Elliott, Dublin to Ballinamore; R. G. Fair, Ballinamore to Carrickmacross; T. E. Joughin, Carrickmacross to Dublin; V. P. Hyland, Head Office to Manorhamilton; R. J. Magee, entered Newtownards; A. C. Shanks, entered at Arva; P. Grehan, entered at Cavan.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES.—Thursday, July 16.

CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (The Supreme Court of Justice).—At 11 o'clock. For Judgement—O'Brien v. Waterford Co. Council. For Hearing. Appeals—Mulligan v. Corr, at hearing; Fitzgerald v. Commrs. of Inland Revenue. For Tuesday, 21st July. For Hearing—Fox v. L.M. and S. Rly. Co. (new trial motion); Levins v. Tyrrell (new trial motion), notice of withdrawal lodged; 1924, Weldon v. Mooney (re-entered appeal). To be spoken to on the Minutes—Johnson v. Larkin (new trial motion).

CUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA (Court of Criminal Appeal).—For Monday next, 20th July. For Hearing. Applications for leave to Appeal—The Attorney-General v. Cornelius O'Leary; same v. Hannah O'Leary; same v. Daniel Sullivan.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—In Lunacy. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Vch. ac., J. Bristow; do., Whitney, Moore, and Keller; do., Findlater; do., G. D. Fottrell. Chief Justice's Chambers. Before Dr. Webb, at 11.30 o'clock—Twinem minors, vouch.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (The High Court of Justice).—In Court No. 1, at 10.30 o'clock. Action—O'Donohue v. Roche, at hearing. For Wednesday, 22nd July. Action—Horan v. Kelly.

In Court 2.—At 11 o'clock. Actions—Watson v. Hogan; National Land Bank v. Wolfhill Collieries; Earl of Listowel v. Vaughan; Pearson v. Daniel. At Chambers—National Bank v. Conry; Oldham v. Ralph; Smith v. Grant; Moorhead v. Kirkwood; Power v. Flahavan; V. and P. Act, Tottenham v. Casement; do., Murphy v. Morrison; Forde v. Nugent. For Wednesday, 22nd July. Action—Duffy v. Gray, part heard.

In Court 3.—At 11 o'clock. Circuit Appeals. Western Circuit—Tuam Diocesan Board of Education v. Minister for Finance; Lynch Staunton v. same; same v. same; Fahy and others v. Connor and others; Lewin v. Minister for Finance; Killanin v. same; Joyce v. same; Finnerty v. same; McGarrigh v. Mayo Co. Council; I.L.C. v. Bannion; I.L.C. v. Carolan; I.L.C. v. Bohan; I.L.C. v. Kearns; I.L. Comm. v. Judge; same v Lynn; same v. Walsh; same v. Donegan; I.L. Comm. v. Donnellan, Halvey and Broderick; I.L. Comm. v. Geraghty; Hyland v. Heany; M'Hugh v. Hopkins; Thornton v. Keane; Kelly v. Flynn; O'Neill and others v. Cloonan and others; M'Laughlin v. Gavin; Cowley and Muldoon v. Ormsby. The cases adjourned yesterday, together with the following, will be taken up when the above Appeals are disposed of:—Western Circuit (con.)—Moran v. Fallon; Fahy v. Nolan and another; same v. Connor; Reilly and others v. Mayo Co. Council; Gallagher v. Dixon; same v. Connell; Griffin v. G.S. and W. Rly.; Horlean v. Lee; Feeney v. Hanley; Mahon v. O'Grady; Keely v. Moran; Campbell v. Cafferkey; Beckett v. Ryan; Loftus v. Lydon; M'Menamin v. I.L. Commrs.; Walsh v. Burke; Conway v. Hoban; Lavelle v. M'Neela; Mcenahan v. Flynn; M'Donnell v. Meehan; Lynch v. Connaughton.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING-UP) ACTS, 1923-1925.—At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, in Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock—Bredagh trustees v. Bredagh claimants (L.S. 23). At 2 o'clock—Estate of Sir John Carden (Egan and others v. Ormonde and another (L.S. 18).

TRINITY SITTINGS FOR TRIALS BY JURY.—In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. Non-Juries—Haynes and another v. Walsh and another (possession); Molloy, Carroll and Co. v. Atlas Transport and Shipping Co., Ltd. (money due).

Chambers No. 1 (Room 38), at 11 o'clock—Moffitt v. Kirwan; Todd, Burns and Co., Ltd., v. Culligan; Hale v. Taylor; Sandys v. Lawlor; Cos' Acts and Irish Bookshop, Ltd. Palmer v. Fitzmaurice; Sargent v. Young; Kennedy v. Kennedy, 1916—350.

Chambers No. 2 (Room 39), at 11 o'clock.—Beattie v. Cordner, sign cert.; Drumlish Co-op. Agric. Society, Ltd.; Thompsons Motor Car Co., Ltd.; Orpen-Palmer v. Hayes; Martin v. Dale; Clein v. Harrison; R. S. Wren, decd., Wren v. Wren; P. Taylor, decd., Murphy v. Taylor; T. A. Walsh, decd., Watkins v. Kettlewell.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Mackey, a minor, F. V. Gordon; arrangt., D. and T. Fitzgerald; Robert Hamilton Edwards, a bankrupt, E. F. Collins and Son. Master Denning, at 11 o'clock—O'Doherty v. Carolan, H. C. O'Doherty and Son; McDonnell v. Sexton, Sheridan and Kenny; McDonnell v. Sexton, W. P. Stevens. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—Smullen v. ss. Sard, M. Good; Kenny v. ss. Sard, M. Good.

RECEIVER OFFICE.—Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock. Receiver's Accounts—Lloyd v. Lloyd, Kenny and Burke; Kelly v. McGauran, Baker, Rinkwood and Gordon; M. and L. Bank v. Mandeville, Gregg, Jermyn and Sons; Bodkin v. Browne, O'Keeffe and Lynch; O'Callaghan v. McSweeney, O'Keeffe and Lynch; Beamish v. Austin, C. F. Kennedy; Robert F. Rynd, F. Sutton and Co. Adjourned till 20th inst.—Grills v. Marks, J. H. Callan and Son; McCarthy v. McDonald, Sellors and Co.

DAIL EIREANN COURTS (WINDING-UP) ACT, 1925.—In Court No. 1, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Applications. To be Mentioned—Whittaker v. O. D. Board; Griffin v. Clancy. For Hearing—Horohan v. Doogue; Doherty and ors. v. Healy. For Friday, 17th July. Appeal. For Hearing—Woods v. McAllister and ors.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Fitzpatrick, vch. ac., Collins and Son; arrangt., pr. dts., Molloy, Fayle and Co.; do., do., Collins and Son; Martin, vch. ac., Thompson and Edwards; arrangt., ac. comp., Collins and Son; Phelan, do., Little and Cullen; Ryan, vch. mtgee. ac., J. Tweedy; O'Mahony, inquiry, J. R. Peart; arrangt., ac. comp., Casey, Clay and Collins; do., do., Scallan and Co.; Nugent, do., Greene and Son; arrangt., do., Collins and Son; do., do., P. M. Scales; Peters, do., W. V. Seddall; Keogan, vch. ac., Smyth and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., O'Meara, Cussen and Kieran; do., do., Collins and Son; do., vch. ac. do.; Edwards, do., do., arrangt., do., A. Cox and Co.; O'Reilly, vch. ac., J. H. Dixon.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—At Green street, at 11 o'clock. County of Dublin—Criminal Cases (continued). A large attendance of County jurors is required this morning at Green street Courthouse at 11 o'clock. Absent jurors will be fined. Before the Assistant Circuit Judge, at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle. In Court No. 5, at 11 o'clock—Rorke v. Byrne; Sheil v. Goulding; Spendlove v. Dublin and Lucan Electric Railway; Shearon v. Hughes; Sackville v. Landron; Thornton v. Keating; Thompson Motor Car Co. v. White; Willan v. Lucan; Warnock v. Quinn; Walsh v. Byrne; Wallace v. M'Donnell; White v. American; Daly v. Kernan.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Jeffrey White, at 11 o'clock—Mary Roche's Fee Farm Rent, vouch. Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—Charles E. Lambkin (E.C. 329) (Thompson's Mortgage), vouch. At 12 o'clock—Christopher Cavanagh (E.C. 8410), vouch. At 2.30 o'clock—Lady Anne Clarke Travers (E.C. 8363), discharge rulings. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Julia T. Austen and ors (S. 234), vouch. At 3.30 o'clock—John B. Rochfort (E.C. 6957), vouch. At 4 o'clock—Hannah O'Meara (E.C. 6628) (Gubbins Head Rent). Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Bernard Sheridan and anor (E.C. 5551), vouch. At 12 o'clock—Robert E. Cassidy (E.C. 7911), vouch. Before Mr. Lett, at 11 o'clock—Martin Walsh (S. 132), settle schedule. At 3 o'clock—H. O'C. Bradfield (E.C. 8859), vouch. Before Mr. Grove White, at 11 o'clock—Michael O'Dea (S. 20-38), vouch. At 12 o'clock—H. S. Sankey (S. 261), vouch.

PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

WAKEFIELD.—The heat caused slow demand. Small hogg sheep 6d. to 10½d. per lb., medium 6d. to 10d., large 1/2 to 1/3, ewes 9d. to 11d., tups 7d., lambs 1/6; best English beef 11½d., secondary 10½d. to 11d., inferior 8d. to 9d., and Irish beef 11d. to 11½d. per lb. Beasts, 349; sheep, 1,332.

EDINBURGH.—Business very quiet. No sheep forward. Cattle supplies limited; inquiries slow. Stirks sold £14 to £17, polled bullocks to £24 10/-, best Cumberland cows £35 to £38, do. stirks £36 to £41, and smaller £30 to £34.

GLASGOW.—Smaller show of cattle and sheep; prices little changed from last week. Best Scotch cattle 68/- per cwt. and secondary 58/- to 63/-. Hogs 1/3 to 1/5 per lb.; ewes 9d to 1/1, and lambs 1/6 to 1/7.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC—WHEAT—A quiet tone governed the floating and forward cargo market, and prices occasionally the turn easier, especially for Plate descriptions. No. 1 Northern Manitoba July sellers 63/6, October-November 55/9, white Pacific August-September 55/9, Australian afloat 56/-, July 56/6, Rosafe 63lbs. loading 58/9, Baril 62½lbs. afloat 56/9. Parcels quiet, and tendency easier. No. 1 Northern Manitoba July sold 60/3 to 60/4½, October-November 53/10½ to 53/9, choice white Karachi afloat 55/3, Australian afloat 56/-. Rosafe 63½lbs. July 59/- per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes quiet, but held for full rates. Plate steamers afloat sellers 41/- to 41/9, as to size and position, June-July 40/-, July-August, also August-September 39/6, No. 6 yellow African September-October 38/6. Parcels opened firmer, but quieter since. Plate June-July sold 39/3 to 39/-, July-August 38/- to 37/9, August-September 37/9 per 480lbs. BARLEY quiet, but fully steady. Cargoes of South Russian July-August sellers 36/6, Algerian Tunisian ditto 33/- per 400lbs. Parcels quiet, and prices without material alteration. OATS firm, but generally quiet. Plate afloat sellers 25/-, also June-July, with July-August held for 24/9, No. 2 Canadian Western July 31/-, No. 3 ditto 28/3, and No. 2 feed ditto 24/6 per 320lbs.

MARK LANE CORN.—Quiet conditions prevailed at the mid-weekly market, only a small number of buyers being present. Prices ruled firm to dearer for most cereals, in sympathy with the recent advance in forward offers. WHEAT firmer; No. 1 Northern Manitoba quoted 64/-, No. 2 ditto 62/6 ex ship, No. 1 Northern Duluth 59/6 ex ship, and Australian 58/- ex ship per 496lbs. English quoted 11/2 to 11/9 per 112lbs. f.o.r. FLOUR firm; London standard grade quoted 48/-, patents 50/- to 51/-, and town whites 48/- per sack delivered in home counties, with 6d. to 1/- per sack less for deliveries in London districts. Of imported, Manitoba patents range from 45/6 to 48/-, Minneapolis 45/6 to 47/-, Kansas patents 45/- to 46/-, and Australia 40/6 to 41/- per 280lbs. ex store. BARLEY steady; Californian quoted 45/- to 52/-, Chilean Chevalier 47/- to 65/-, brewing 50/- to 54/- as to quality, Australian 57/- to 63/- ex store per 448lbs.; No. 4 Canadian Western landed 37/6, Karachi landed 37/6, and Morocco 36/6 per 400lbs. English ranges from 9/6 to 11/3, the latter for finest malting, per 112lbs. MAIZE firmer; Plate landed 43/9 and ditto ex ship arrived 42/- per 480lbs. OATS maintained; Plate ex ship to arrive quoted 26/-, landed 27/3; No. 2 Canadian Western ex ship 31/6, landed 32/9; No. 2 Canadian feed ex ship 25/6, landed 26/6; Chilean tawny 27/-, and S.A. Cape 27/- landed, all per 320lbs. English quoted 10/- to 10/9 per 112lbs. f.o.r. OATMEAL steady, quiet; London-made flaked 19/-, rolled oats 18/-, medium and fine cut 18/-, coarse and medium pinhead 18/- ex mill; ordinary Scottish oatmeal 19/6 to 20/-, and American ditto 17/9 to 18/- per cwt. MILLERS' OFFALS steadier. Broad bran quoted 8/-, middlings 7/9 to 8/-, and fine ditto 9/6, bags included, ex mill. Powdered husks 6/3, feed oatmeal 7/9, and ground oats 12/9 per cwt. f.o.r.

LIVERPOOL.—American markets failed to finish as good as expected, and forward deliveries of WHEAT here showed a fair decline at the outset, then improved on scarcity of sellers, and a liberal gain on last night's rates was at one time recorded, but disappointing late afternoon cables caused prices to recede sharply, and final rates showed only a moderate improvement on the day for distant positions. C.i.f. parcels No 2 Manitoba afloat sold 58/7½, Rosario Santa Fe afloat 56/7½, Australian afloat 56/- per qr. C.i.f. parcels River Plate loading sold 39/6, May-June 41/3, June-July 39/- to 39/3, July-August 38/- to 38/3 per qr. Wheat on the spot quietly steady. MAIZE—Spot parcels firm, and River Plate 1d. dearer at 9/3 to 9/3½ per cental. FLOUR steady at recent advance. Graded wheat futures opened ½d. to 2d. per cental lower, fluctuated, and closed unchanged to ½d. dearer. Maize options nominal.

GLASGOW.—Wheat—Recent advance maintained; No. 1 Manitobas 60/9 per 480lbs. July-August. Maize firm in all positions. Oats steady on spot, but easier to buy for forward delivery. Barley quietly steady. Flour—Higher prices asked for all kinds, and sales better.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—Irish and Danish BACON is again steady, with only a moderate business reported at unchanged prices. Canadian Wiltshires quiet at late rates. The market for American bacon is quiet, and holders make no change in their asking prices for any descriptions, but with the recent arrival being in excess of what were generally looked for stocks are accumulating, and purchases in some cases can be made on easier terms. HAMS quiet, with a moderate inquiry, supplies being fully equal to requirements. Shoulders also quiet at about late prices. LARD on the spot in only moderate request, and with easier Chicago cables prices are reduced 6d., prime steam now at 88/6 to 89/-, and American refined 85/6 to 90/6 per cwt. CHEESE firmly held for the recently enhanced prices. BUTTER firm, and in moderate request at higher prices of 188/- to 190/- for New Zealand and 184/- to 186/- per cwt. Australian. EGGS steady at 14/6 to 17/6 for Irish hen and 12/- to 15/- per 120 duck.

LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—The decline in Chicago caused prices here to give way about 3d. per cwt., but no business was concluded during the early session. July quoted 88/3 to 88/9, August 89/3 to 89/6, September 90/6 to 90/9, October-November 91/6 to 91/9 per cwt. Afternoon cables were better, and prices improved, closing nominally unchanged to 3d. per cwt. over last night, with no business done. July quoted 88/6 buyers, September 91/- to 91/3, October 92/- to 92/3, November 91/9 to 92/- cwt. TALLOW—Firm sale South American beefs forward shipment reported at 46/- to 46/6 per cwt., c.i.f.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT (Smithfield).—Supplies yesterday 1,668 tons, made up as follows—286 tons British and Irish and 1,382 tons imported. BEEF—Fair supplies of fresh killed met quiet trade at weaker rates. Chilled in light supply; slow trade at about recent rates. Scotch short sides 7/8 to 8/4, English long 5/10 to 6/8, State and Canadian (Birkenhead killed) 6/2 to 6/6, Australian hind quarters (frozen) 3/6 to 3/8, crops 2/4 to 2/6; Argentine hind quarters (chilled) 5/4 to 5/8, fore 2/7 to 2/9; Uruguayan hind quarters 4/10 to 5/2, fore 2/4 to 2/6. MUTTON—Fresh mutton in short supply; fair trade, but slow. Lamb plentiful and cheaper. Frozen supplies in poor demand at late values. Scotch 9/- to 9/8, English 7/8 to 9/-, ewes 5/4 to 6/-, Dutch 6/8 to 8/-, New Zealand wethers 4/4 to 6/-, ewes 3/4 to 4/4, Uruguayan wethers 3/8 to 4/8. Lamb—Scotch 9/8 to 10/8, English 9/4 to 10/4, Irish 9/- to 9/8, Dutch 8/- to 9/8, New Zealand 7/4 to 8/4, Australian 6/4 to 7/8. PORK—Small supply met slow trade at lower prices. English (best), under 10st. 6/- to 6/8, ditto for 10 to 15st. 15 to 20st. 5/8 to 6/-; sows (fat) 5/- to 5/4, Dutch 6/- to 6/4, frozen 5/6 to 5/8. VEAL—Lighter supplies met dull trade. English (best) 6/- to 7/4, bobbies 4/8 to 5/4; Dutch 6/- to 8/-, bobbies 4/- to 5/-; Belgian 5/4 to 6/8. EGGS—Trade very quiet; best new laid in short supply; other varieties ample for demand. English new laid per 120—First grade 16/6 to 17/6, second grade 13/- to 15/-; Irish new laid 14/6 to 16/-, Belgian 14/6 to 15/6; Danish, 16lbs. 14/6 to 15/6, 18lbs. 17/- to 17/6; Dutch, mixed 15/- to 16/-, brown 16/6 to 17/-; French, mixed, 14/- to 14/6; Italian 14/- to 14/6, Chinese 11/- to 12/-, Russian (fresh) 11/6 to 12/6, Lithuanian 12/6 to 13/6. Duck eggs—English 13/6 to 14/-, Dutch new laid 13/- to 13/6, Irish 13/6 to 14/-. POULTRY—Best quality met a fair inquiry; other descriptions sold slowly; prices showed little alteration. Surrey spring chickens 1/7 to 1/11 lb.; Surrey chickens 1/4 to 1/8, country 1/2 to 1/7, Irish 1/2 to 1/4, Belgian 1/5 to 1/8, Russian 10d. to 1/2, Dutch 1/- to 1/5, American 1/3 to 1/5, Hungarian 11d. to 1/1; English hens, old 9d. to 10d., live 8d. to 10d.; Irish 7½d. to 9d.; Aylesbury ducklings 1/4 to 1/5, country 1/1 to 1/3, English American 1/4 to 1/5; live ducks (old) 5d.; English geese 10d. to 1/-, Dutch 10d. to 1/-; pigeons, Bordeaux, each, 1/4 to 1/10; tame 7d. to 9d.; hazel hens 9d. to 11d. FRESH OFFALS—Moderate supplies met slow trade. Ox heads 10d. to 1/-, hearts 1/8 to 2/4, livers 4/- to 6/8, kidneys 7/4, tongues 6/- to 6/10, tails 4/- to 5/4, breads 8/-, sheep's plucks 5/8 to 6/8, pigs' ditto 3/8 to 4/8.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—About the usual mid-week arrival of vegetables, which cleared around following prices:—York cabbage 20/-, 30/- and 34/- per load, 70/- for extras, and bags 4/9; lettuce 6d. to 1/- dozen; peas 11/- to 22/-; onions 1/- to 1/4, and scallions 10d. to 1/3 a bunch. Parsley 6d. to 8d. per tray. Rhubarb 1/- to 2/6 and 4/9 a bundle.

DUBLIN FISH.—Demand was fair for the supply of fish offering—namely, 170 boxes on two steam trawlers, 45 packages salmon, 19 chests lobsters, 100 boxes herrings, 20 boxes mackerel, and a small consignment from local and country hookers and wind trawlers. Quotations:—Salmon 1/- to 1/4 per lb., grilse 8d. to 1/- per lb. Large lobsters 17/6 to 20/-, seconds 10/- to 15/-, and small 5/- to 7/6 per lot of 13. Large soles 30/- to 35/-, mediums 15/- to 17/6, and slips 5/- to 10/- per nine pairs; large plaice 6/- to 8/- per four; mediums 6/- to 8/- per eight. Box Fish—Plaice 30/- to 60/-, codfish 35/- to 40/-, ray 8/- to 15/- and 20/-, pollock 12/6 to 30/-, hake 12/- to 60/-, ling 10/- to 15/-, whiting 5/- to 40/-, white soles 30/- to 50/-, haddock 20/- to 30/-, congers 15/- to 25/-, and gurnard 3/- to 5/- per half-box. Herrings averaged 20/- to 27/- per box and mackerel 5/- to 15/- per box.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Supply moderate; demand fair. Salmon 1/4 to 2/-, soles 1/3 to 2/8, and slips 1/6 to 2/3 per lb. Live eels 8/- to 25/-, and dead 5/- to 14/- per draught. Turbot 7/- to 11/-, brill 3/- to 10/-, plaice 6/- to 12/-, lemon soles 8/- to 11/-, halibut 14/- to 17/-, whitches 4/- to 8/-, cod 3/- to 5/-, hake 5/- to 6/-, skate 3/- to 5/-, and haddocks 3/- to 6/- per stone.

CORK BUTTER.—The market remains quiet; prices steady. Creameries 177/- to 183/- per cwt., choicest salted 182/- upwards, and choicest mild 180/-.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—A moderate demand existed for refined goods on the spot, chiefly British, at recent rates. Forward positions of foreign more firmly held, but buyers reserved. White Javas fail to arouse much support, owing to comparatively cheap offers of American gran. White terminal firmer; August sold 15/9, 15/9¾ to 15/11¼, Dec. 16/-, 15/11¼ to 16/0¾, March 16/3 to 16/4½ and May 15/6 to 16/7½. COFFEE—Fine sorts steady; common slow. TEA—Indian auctions steady for all really fine teas, but others about ½d. to ¼d. per lb. easier. RUBBER active and dearer, though unsettled; plantation sheet spot and July sold 4/3 to 4/4, August 4/- to 4/2, Sept. 3/10 to 4/1, Oct.-Dec. 3/8 to 3/7 and 3/8¾, Jan.-March 3/2 to 3/3¼. RICE—Market quiet, unaltered. Peas dearer, and Japanese Sept.-Oct. sold 24/4½. SPICE—Pepper quieter, Lampong Aug.-Oct. sold 7d., Muntok ditto 11½d. TAPIOCA firm forward, with increased inquiries on French account.

COPRA firm, quiet; F.M.S. Straits April-June Rotterdam sold £30 17/6. PALM KERNELS—August-October Liverpool sold £21 13/9 and buyers. OILS—Linseed quiet, and tendency easier; spot quoted 42/6, August 41/4½, September-December 41/6. Rape—Crude spot 48/6, refined 51/6. Cotton steady; Egyptian crude spot 42/6, Bombay 39/-, common edible 47/-. Coconut steady; Ceylon spot pipes 48/-, shipment 46/6. Turpentine dearer. American spot 67/6, August 67/9, September-December 68/6 per cwt. Rosin firm; American B/D 20/6, E 21/3, F 22/-, G 22/-, N 25/-, W G 28/-, W W 30/-. French W W 26/9 per cwt. Petroleum unaltered. OILSEEDS—Linseed opened quiet and easier, but since steady. Calcutta to London August-September sold £22, September-October £22 2/6 to £22; Plate to Hull sold August-September £19 15/-, September-October £19 17/6, January-February new crop £19 7/6. Rapeseed steady; Toria to Continent August-September quoted £21 17/6, real bold Ferozepore ditto £21 12/6. Cottonseed steady, quiet; Egyptian black to Hull July £13 7/6, November-January £12 12/6, white July £12 12/6, July £12 12/6, November-January £12 2/6, Bombay August-September £9 12/6 per ton. Castor, also gingelley seed, unaltered. Chinese decorticated new November-December £24 5/- per ton. TALLOW—In auction 768 casks Australian offered, and with a good demand 715 casks sold at an average advance of 2/- per cwt. Mutton fair to fine quoted 46/- to 49/-, ditto beef 44/- to 48/6, mixed fair to good 44/- to 47/-, gut 38/- to 42/6 per cwt.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—American reports being more encouraging, the tone is steadier and more business doing. Prices of Greenock sugars unaltered.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.—American—After opening about 10 to 8 points up on the overnight New York advices prices reacted in the absence of demand, and at the close the tone was barely steady, with the final values generally a point down on the day. Spot market—American dull and quotations are reduced 3 points. Egyptian dull. Brazilian quotations are 2 points higher. East Indian shows no change.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

TIN LOWER.

TIN—Market displayed quieter features, and with sellers more in evidence a weaker tone resulted. On balance values ruled 17/6 to 20/- per ton lower, both cash and forward, compared with the final rates of Tuesday last. Standard cash quoted £259 7/6 to £259 10/-, three months £261 10/- to £261 15/-; settlement price £259 10/-. Sales 750 tons, comprising cash at £259 15/-, £259 5/-, and finally registered at £259 10/-, three months £262 10/-, £262 12/6, and £261 5/-; English ingots £259 10/- to £259 15/-. COPPER continues in good support, and market steadier at 2/6 per ton advance. Standard cash quoted £61 17/6 to £62, three months £62 17/6 to £63; settlement price £61 17/6. Sales amounted to 1,500 tons; cash sold £62 to £61 17/6, three months £63 to £62 17/6, and finally £62 18/9. Electros quoted £66 to £66 10/-, wire bars £66 10/-. LEAD quietly steady; 400 tons sold good soft foreign pig July at £34 7/6, August £34 2/6, September £33 18/9, October £33 17/6; settlement price £34 7/6; English quoted £35 15/-. SPELTER slightly irregular, while a fair business transferred; 1,000 tons sold July at £34 18/9, August £34 11/3 to £34 10/-, September £34 10/-, October £34 7/6 to £34 5/-; settlement price £34 15/- per ton.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Official prices in Glasgow iron market yesterday were:—Sellers No. 3 Scotch 87/-, f.a.s. Glasgow; sellers No. 3 Middlesbrough 71/6, f.o.b. Middlesbrough; sellers mixed numbers East Coast hematite 77/-, f.o.b. Middlesbrough. Market easier. No business done.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

MELBOURNE, Wednesday.

At the wool sales held here to-day there was an attractive catalogue and a good clearance was effected. Competition was animated. Merinos were slightly higher, while fine comebacks showed a distinct advance. Other descriptions were in sellers' favour.

SALES AT BRISBANE.

BRISBANE, Wednesday.

The wool sales series closed to-day, 9,288 bales being offered. The opening rates were fully maintained, and competition was more general. Yorkshire buyers were very quiet. Further sales will probably be held here towards the end of August.

BUDAPEST WOOL SALES.

Reuter's Agency learns that the Budapest wool auctions, which started at the beginning of July, have attracted a considerable number of foreign buyers, especially from France, Germany, Austria, and Czecho-Slovakia. Over 4,700 bales of wool have been sold, 2,500 bales of which went abroad. The bulk was high-grade combed merino.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

At public sale three catalogues were submitted jointly totalling 11,725 bales, and comprised 4,038 New South Wales and Queensland, 418 Victorian, 101 South Australian, 483 West Australian, 230 Tasmanian, 2,463 New Zealand, 819 Cape, 2,704 Punta Arenas, 455 Falkland Islands. A rather quieter tone governed proceedings, competition being less brisk than of late, and rates in some instances displayed a weaker tendency. Superior merinos, however, were fairly well supported by the Continental section, while Bradford houses were principally interested in crossbreds. Inferior descriptions continue irregular while the turn in buyers' favour.

CANADIAN CATTLE EXPORTS.

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

MONTREAL, July 15.

Trade weaker on heavy supplies. Choice steers $8.00 to $8.25; good, $7.50 to $7.75; medium, $7.00 to $7.25. Cows, $5.00 to $5.50. Bulls, $4.75 to $5.50, per 100 lbs. Sailings—To Liverpool, Welshman, 852 cattle; to Glasgow, Bellhaven, 560 cattle; to Manchester, Producer, 527 cattle. Total, 1,939 cattle.

IRISH FAIRS.

TIPPERARY.—There was a moderate supply of stock. There was a good demand for fleshy cattle, but other classes were not in such eager request. Three-year-old bullocks, in good condition, realised £22 to £25 each; two-year-olds, £18 to £20; yearlings, £8 to £15; three-year-old heifers sold at £18 to £20; two-year-olds, £12 to £16; three-year-old bulls, £18 to £22; yearlings, £10 to £15. There was a small supply of sheep. Two-year-old wethers sold at 1/4 per lb.; ewes, 1/- to 1/2 per lb.; lambs, £1 10/- to £2 15/- each. There was a fair supply of pigs. Strong stores realised £2 15/- to £3 5/- each; smaller stores, £2 to £2 10/-.

ATHLONE.—Small supply of cattle. Few buyers attended, and business was very slow. There was a good demand for calves, but store cattle made a poor trade. Quotations:—Calves under six months old £6 to £9, average £7; store cattle over six and under twelve, first class, £8 10/- to £11 10/-, average £10 10/-; second class £7 to £9 10/-, average £8; one-year-old and under two, first class, £13 10/- to £16 10/-, average £14 10/-; second class £12 to £15, average £13; three-year-olds and over, first class, £22 to £25 10/-, average £23; second class £20 to £23, average £21 10/-; springers (cows and heifers) £15 to £25, average £18; milch cows £19 to £26 10/-, average £23 10/-. A few fat sheep sold at from £3 to £4 15/-, lambs £2 5/- to £3, store lambs 52/- to 58/-, fat lambs £3 to £3 5/-.

LONGFORD.—Trade ruled slow. Best beef realised from 50/- to 52/6; cow beef, 35/- per cwt.; polly store bullocks of two years sold at from £15 to £17 10/- each, or at the rate of 52/6 per cwt.; three-year-old bullocks and heifers, £18 to £23 each; springer cows from £12 to £24; milch cows, £11 to £21; yearlings, £9 to £13 10/-. Fat sheep fetched from £3 10/- to £4 10/- each; hoggets, £3 5/- to £4 5/-, according to quality; lambs, £2 to £2 12/6 each.

WOMAN AND HER HOME.

PARIS FASHION NOTES.

FOR those who do not care for the more extravagant designs that are to be seen in Paris just now there are simple everyday clothes in plenty. The three-piece suits in sombre shades of marocain or crêpe-de-chine are brightened with coloured tunics and linings. I like the way some of the French couturières have of sewing the tunic on to the skirt in a broken line. In a frock of black georgette with a flounced skirt there are embroidered flowers in blue and golden beads that trail over the flounces, holding them down here and there. Or, again, the monotony is broken with panels of material that are sewn and then left loose to hang in loops. In other cases the straight waistline is cut into "V's" and scallops.

As for colours, they are daring. A little brown mousseline dress devoid of trimming has orange feather sleeves. A cape for evening wear of black satin has inserted panels of orange mousseline-de-soie and a lining of the same. A scarlet coat and dress, and hat to match the coat, trimmed with leopard, is very striking. In fact, everything is original this season, and should please a woman who likes to dress differently from the crowd.

It is a classic saying that every woman should have one black dress in her wardrobe, but modern taste decrees that there should be several. Few women can wear vivid colours successfully all the time, and those who cannot afford many dresses of each kind find that black is not only more economical, but it allows of constant variety.

With a flower, a scarf, a belt or a jewel, a black dress changes its face, and not only saves pennies, but prevents that deadly monotony which drives so many of us to extravagance. Think, too, of the saving in gloves, shoes and stockings. Nothing looks so well as black patent shoes, with a delicately wrought steel or silver buckle; and I would go as far as to say that the older woman should leave flesh-coloured stockings to her daughter and wear herself the very best black or grey silk.

Neither should she have her skirts too short. Youth alone should have the prerogative of audacity in stockings; to age is left dignity and serenity—two qualities which are not to be despised when the hair is silvered. It is the little things which mean so much. They make or mar the whole picture. Too much jewellery destroys simplicity. Fancy footgear is out of place with tailored suits. The right shoes, the right gloves, the bag, are as the right line in dress and coat.

It is now an accepted rule in fashion that dresses should be full below the knees or at the sides. No woman need hobble to-day unless she likes to do so. Neither need women with ankles are not slim wear dresses which reveal that particular affliction of nature.

It is now possible to have ragged skirts; indeed, the more ragged your hem looks the better, if the material of the dress be flimsy. A silk crêpe or georgette or mousseline dress may have scalloped flounces, pointed panels, plain and plissés, which dip and flow, expand and close up in the most entrancing way. Supple is the word which, above all others, describes modern dress.

Little girls have never been dressed more prettily. With their frocks very short, showing their bare knees, and the necks round, they give the impression of small Greek figures. Vivid colours are the best for them, though all shades of blue are in excellent taste. Cerise, lemon yellow, electric blue and bright green set off their youthful charms well.

White for little boys, as well as for their sisters, is always attractive. A lovely sight at a marriage recently was two little boys of three years walking with two little girls of the same age before the bride and groom. The little girls wore white chiffon frocks, garlanded with white roses, and crowns of little roses in their hair. The little boys were in white velvet, with very short trousers, and a tiny page's cloak swinging from their shoulders.

Millinery is characterised chiefly by the fact that its trimmings are always draped in a downward direction, with feathers, ribbon or pompons falling on one side over the ear. The "cloche" remains still very much in favour, although many of the more elegant women are taking to the wide-brimmed "capeline."

Flowers and ribbons are everywhere to be seen this season and embroidery—heaps of embroidery—on our hats, and the keynote of everything is an eloquent simplicity. Every osprey, every flower should be where it is, for the best of reasons, not whisked irrelevantly into place. I could write a lyric about hats at any time, but about some of the newest hats I have seen I believe it would run to an epic.

This little dress has been carried out in one of the new "border" fabrics. In crêpe-de-chine, the dress is of a pale shade of yellow, the border and embroideries being in a much deeper colouring.

RECIPES FOR THE COOK.

FIG COMPOTE.

Ingredients.—One pound figs, one tin peaches, one ounce gelatine, half teacupful cold water, three oranges.

Method.—Wash and dry the figs, and arrange them around the dish. Next drain the syrup from the peaches, and press them through a sieve into the centre of the dish. Put the gelatine in the cold water and leave for ten minutes. Pour into it the peach syrup. Place on the fire until the gelatine has dissolved. Pour into a wet mould, and put aside until firm. Just before serving place spoonfuls here and there of the jelly on the top of the peach pulp and serve.

SILVER PUDDING.

Ingredients.—Four lemons, half pound sifted sugar, two eggs, half ounce gelatine and a large cupful water.

Method.—Dissolve the gelatine in a breakfastcupful of warm water. Beat the whites of the eggs, add the sugar, the juice of the lemons, and the gelatine. Beat all together for thirty minutes. The success of the pudding depends on this. Pour all into a wetted mould, and leave to set; then turn out on to a glass dish. Make a custard with the egg yolks, a little sugar, and a gill of milk, and pour it round the pudding when cold.

APRICOT EFFERVESCING DRINK.

Take one pint of the juice of bruised apricots, filter until clear, and make into a syrup with half pound sugar. Add one ounce of tartaric acid, bottle and cork well. To a tumbler three-parts full of water add two tablespoonfuls of the syrup, a pinch of bicarbonate of soda; stir well and drink while effervescing.

AMERICAN FRUIT DRINK.

Take half pound each of raspberries, currants and strawberries, two quarts boiling water, the juice of two lemons, one breakfastcupful castor sugar. Pick and stalk the fruit, put in a basin, and mash with a fork; add the sugar and lemon juice. Pour over the water and let it stand till next day. Strain, and it is ready for use.

TAPIOCA CREAM.

Ingredients—Two teaspoonfuls tapioca, half cupful milk, one egg, a pinch salt, one tablespoonful sugar, twelve drops vanilla flavouring.

Method.—Cook the milk and tapioca in a double saucepan until clear. Add the beaten yolk, milk and salt. Cool, add the flavouring, then stir in the stiffly beaten egg white. Pour into a dish and serve cold.

THE FUNERAL OF MR. A. BLAYNEY.

In the report of the funeral of the late Mr. Alexander Blayney the names of Mr. R. C. B. Maunsell, President of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland; Mr. A. Millar, the Registrar, and Sir John Lumsden were inadvertently omitted.

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CONTINUE THE "DOLE."

TIPPERARY UNEMPLOYED'S DEMAND.

A meeting of unemployed in Tipperary on Tuesday passed a resolution calling upon the Government to pay unemployment benefit to all unemployed persons willing to work until such time as employment is found for them. The resolution also urged the Government to initiate at once schemes of re-afforestation, and building and reclamation schemes.

Mr. John Breen, who presided at the meeting, said that there were 850 unemployed in Tipperary, and of that number there were only 100 drawing the "dole." Recently one of their Tipperary T.D.'s had stated that the unemployment benefit would not cease until every man in the country had found work. He (Mr. Breen) characterised that as a deliberate electioneering lie.

Mr. Daniel Morrissey, T.D., said that the Red Flag and the destruction of the condensed milk factory and creamery were blamed for the present unemployment in Tipperary; but the largest number ever employed at the factory was 120, and the destruction of the factory, therefore, did not account for the 850 idle folk in the district. He added that he was totally opposed to the destruction of the factory.

SPRAYING POTATOES.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland desires to direct the attention of farmers to the importance of spraying their potato crops as a preventive of potato blight. In dry weather, such as we have experienced of late, there may be a tendency to neglect the operation of spraying. It should be borne in mind, however, that owing to unfavourable weather in spring, the potato crop is rather backward in many districts this season, and that, if a severe attack of blight comes when the weather breaks, the yield of potatoes will be very much reduced. All crops of late varieties should be sprayed early and should be sprayed twice.

Take the profits out of war and you will assist the movement to end war before war ends us.—Mr. Bernard Baruch.

YESTERDAY'S CASES IN THE COURTS.

THE CURRAGH MURDER.

LAST APPLICATION FAILS.

An application for a certificate to appeal from a decision of the Court of Criminal Appeal refusing an application to allow James Murray to appeal from his conviction and sentence of death on an indictment for the murder of Joseph Bergin, at the Curragh, in December, 1923, was refused by a specially-constituted Supreme Court consisting of Mr. Justice Sullivan, Mr. Justice Murnaghan, and Mr. Justice Meredith, in Dublin Castle yesterday.

Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Messrs. Noyk and O'Reilly), who made the application on behalf of the condemned man under section 29 of the Courts of Justice Act, said that the ground on which the application was made was that the decision given by the Court of Criminal Appeal involved a point of law of exceptional public importance, and that it was desirable, in the public interest, that an appeal should be taken to the Supreme Court.

Mr. Gleeson then proceeded to explain the interpretation which he thought the Court should place upon the section mentioned, stating that there could be no doubt, in his opinion, that the point of law involved here was one of exceptional public importance.

The Attorney-General, who, with Mr. Carrigan, K.C., Mr. Costello, K.C., and Mr. Bewley (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), appeared to oppose the application, objected to Mr. Gleeson's going into the matter.

Mr. Justice Sullivan said that he could not go into that.

Mr. Gleeson pointed out that this case involved human life and liberty, and submitted that the widest possible interpretation should be given to the words of the section and to the legal principles by which it was governed. He submitted that the construction of the words of the section which he sought to have adopted was the only reasonable one to be placed upon them, and asked their lordships to hold that this court had jurisdiction under the section to grant the certificate.

Mr. Justice Sullivan, delivering the judgment of the Court refusing the application, said that they were satisfied that the application made by Mr. Gleeson there must be refused. Mr. Gleeson had said everything that could be said in support of his argument that this Court had a right to grant a certificate giving leave to appeal from a decision of the Court of Criminal Appeal to this Court; but the view they took was that the language of this statute was too plain. Section 29 of the Courts of Justice Act, 1924 provided:—

"The determination by the Court of Criminal Appeal of any appeal or other matter which it has power to determine shall be final, and no appeal shall lie from that Court to the Supreme Court unless that Court, or the Attorney-General, shall certify that the decision involves a point of law of exceptional public importance, and that it is desirable in the public interest that an appeal should be taken to the Supreme Court, the decision of which shall be final and conclusive."

Mr. Gleeson had argued that the words "no appeal shall be from that Court to the Supreme Court unless that Court, or the Attorney-General, shall certify that the decision involves a point of law of exceptional public importance, and that it is desirable in the public interest that an appeal should be taken to the Supreme Court, the decision of which shall be final and conclusive," meant that the Attorney-General or the Supreme Court could give such certificate as was applied for in this case; and he argued that the words "that Court" immediately preceding the words "Supreme Court" meant the Supreme Court. If the section stopped there, there might be a good deal to be said in favour of his argument. But when they read the latter part of the section, which proceeded: "Unless that Court or the Attorney-General," etc., it was obvious that throughout the words "Supreme Court" were used twice, and that the words "Court of Criminal Appeal" were used only once, and that the Supreme Court had no jurisdiction to grant a certificate giving leave to appeal from a decision of the Court of Criminal Appeal, and for that reason the application must be refused.

The application was accordingly refused.

BALLINA SOLICITORS.

DISPUTE ABOUT AN AGREEMENT.

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing was continued of the appeal by the defendant in the case of Mr. Patrick J. Mulligan, solicitor, Ballina, Co. Mayo, against Mr. Edmund Corr, solicitor in the same town, from a judgment of Mr. Justice Meredith granting the plaintiff a perpetual injunction restraining the defendant from practising as a solicitor in Ballina or within thirty miles of it. The case has been before the Court for some days.

Counsel—Mr. Lupton, K.C., Mr. Costello, K.C., and Mr. C. Maguire (instructed by Mr. Francis Kennedy) for the appellant and defendant; and Mr. Leonard, K.C., Mr. Carson, K.C., and Mr. J. Fitzgerald Kenny (instructed by Mr. James Fagan) for respondent and plaintiff.

Mr. Lupton concluded his argument in support of the appeal.

Mr. Costello followed on the same side.

The hearing had not concluded when the Court adjourned.

1921 ELECTIONS IN KERRY.

CLAIM FOR RETURN OF DEPOSITS.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

An action came on for hearing in which Thomas O'Donoghue, who was a candidate at the Parliamentary elections held in May, 1921, for the constituency of Kerry and West Limerick, was the plaintiff, and Redmond Roche, sub-sheriff and returning officer for the constituency, was the defendant.

The plaintiff, in his statement of claim, set out that as candidate at the election he caused to be deposited with the defendant, as returning officer, the sum of £150, in compliance with Section 26 of the Representation of the People Act, 1918. The plaintiff was duly elected, and the Parliament to which he was so elected came to an end on or before the 31st March, 1922. The defendant had failed and refused to return the amount of the deposit to the plaintiff, although requested to do so, and the plaintiff claimed a declaration that he is entitled to the amount of the deposit and accrued interest thereon, and that the defendant held the money as trustee for the plaintiff.

The defendant, in his defence, while admitting that the plaintiff was a candidate at the elections, denied that the plaintiff deposited, or caused to be deposited, with him £150, or any sum at all, and said that the £150 never was the property of the plaintiff. All moneys deposited with him in connection with the election were deposited by Messrs. Terence J. Liston and William Quinlan, of Tralee, to be disposed of according to their directions, subject to any statutory conditions affecting the same, and the defendant said that subsequent to the election he paid the full amount of the money so deposited with him to, and to the order of, the depositors, Terence J. Liston and William Quinlan.

As a further defence, the defendant said that, in so far as, if at all, the money, or any part thereof, was the proper money of the plaintiff, which was denied, the plaintiff, though elected to Parliament, refused to, and did not, take the oath prescribed as a member of that Parliament, and thereupon the money so deposited became and was forfeited, and became applicable as prescribed by the Representation of the People Acts, and was accordingly so applied by the defendant. The defendant also said that the plaintiff's alleged cause of action was barred by the Public Authorities Act, 1893.

Mr. Jellett, K.C., Mr. Michael Comyn, K.C., and Mr. Conor Maguire (instructed by Mr. D. J. Browne) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Lynch, K.C., Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald, K.C., and Mr. Bernard Roche (instructed by Mr. David Roche) for the defendant.

Opening the case for the plaintiff, Mr. Jellett said that this constituency at the time of this election in May, 1921, returned eight members. For the eight seats eight candidates, and no more, were nominated—namely, Austin Stack, Patrick J. Cahill, Thomas O'Donoghue (the plaintiff), Edward Roche, Con Collins, Pierce Beasley, Finian Lynch and James Crowley. The result was that these eight gentlemen were declared duly elected, without any contest. Five of these eight subsequently voted against the Treaty, and three of them—namely, Pierce Beasley, Finian Lynch and James Crowley—voted for it; and the next thing that appeared to have happened was that on the 10th July, 1923, the Minister for Finance instructed the defendant to refund the deposit to Messrs. Beasley, Lynch and Crowley, and that was done. The remaining deposit money, amounting to £750, was handed over to the Cumann na nGaedheal, Parnell square.

Mr. Justice Meredith—Where does the Cumann na nGaedheal come into it?

Mr. Jellett—That is the thing that is puzzling me. What we are confronted with now is this: A sum of money is lodged pursuant to Statute for election as member of Parliament on behalf of a particular candidate who was elected, and when I come to the provisions of the Statute your lordship will find in a case of this kind there is no condition of forfeiture, but I am told here by Mr. Roche that my Parliamentary deposit has been handed over to what we all know is a political organisation, and not only that, but a political organisation that was entirely contrary, so far as political views were concerned, with the views of the candidate on behalf of whom the deposit was made.

It seemed to come to this, said Mr. Jellett, that the question whether you are to get back your deposit or not depends on your political views, which was quite a novel idea, because that was exactly what happened here. Mr. Roche, the defendant, said that he had been instructed by the Minister for Finance to send on the deposits to that association. That money was acknowledged by a letter dated 20th May, 1924, as being a "refund" of nomination fees deposited at a time when the association did not exist.

Mr. Justice Meredith said that there seemed to be something behind that letter of the 20th May, 1924. The use of the word refund looked as if money had not come from these individuals, but from a body constituting itself Cumann na nGaedheal.

Mr. Jellett said that it was immaterial to him where the money came from originally. The provisions of the statute were quite clear. The money had to be returned to the candidate and nobody else.

Mr. Lynch said that the money had been paid to Mr. Liston, and the candidates that Mr. Jellett said got back their deposits never got a penny of the money.

Mr. Jellett said that Messrs. Liston and Quinlan could not control the statute. Counsel went on to quote cases in support of his contention that the deposit money should go back to the elected candidate.

Mr. Lynch, opening the case for the defendant, said that at the time of the election Mr. Quinlan and three other gentlemen raised £900 for all the eight candidates. The remaining £300 was put up out of some Limerick Sinn Fein fund. The money was never payable to these people under the section. When the bank began to press the gentlemen who were responsible for getting the money, Mr. Quinlan and Mr. Liston, something had to be done to have them removed from their liability for this £1,200, and what was done was that they sought advice, and they naturally turned to the Government of the country that was, to some extent at all events, put in by the funds of the people who were Sinn Feiners in 1921. They appealed to the Minister for Finance for advice and for directions, and the mode suggested to solve the difficulty was that the sum of £450 that was found returnable to the three gentlemen named, Mr. Lynch and the other two, would be made payable not to them—because not one farthing of it did they ever get—but to them and Mr. William Quinlan, one of the people responsible for the debt to the bank, and the paying order was endorsed by the three and by Mr. Quinlan, and lodged in the bank towards the reduction of the overdraft. The £750 was in fact dealt with in the same way. The organisation that had been referred to as the political organisation paid the bank what was due, and they got the £750 and interest. If the plaintiff had been put in the witness-box he would have had to say that if a Parliament to which he was elected had sat for seven years he would not have taken the oath.

The further hearing of the action was adjourned until 10.30 o'clock this morning.

DELIVERY OF TIMBER CARGOES.

CUSTOM OF DUBLIN PORT.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH.)

In the case of Aktiebolaget Transmarin v. Norman MacNaughton and Sons, Ltd., Mr. Vaughan Wilson, who was with Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C. (instructed by Messrs. Carson and McDowell), on behalf of the plaintiffs, a Swedish firm of shipowners, applied to have a consent to the settlement of the action received and made a rule of court.

The plaintiffs claimed £155 3s. 4d., of which sum £20 13s. 4d. was balance of freight due on deals and other goods carried in the plaintiffs' steamship Songa from Sundswall to Dublin under a charter party of 8th September, 1923, and there delivered to the defendants under a bill of lading dated 29th November, 1923, and £134 10s. for work and labour done and money paid and expended by the plaintiffs for the defendants' use, and at their request.

In their defence the defendants, a Dublin firm, stated that there was no sum due by them for freight; that the cargo was carried by the Songa in accordance with the terms of the charter-party of the 8th September, 1923, by clause 9 of which freight was to be paid only on the unloading and right delivery of the cargo, but they alleged that the unloading and right delivery of the cargo was not carried out by the plaintiffs in accordance therewith or in accordance with the custom of the Port of Dublin relating to the discharge of timber cargoes.

Mr. Wilson said that the consent provided that all further proceedings be stayed on the terms and conditions that the defendants agreed to pay £134 10s. in full satisfaction of the plaintiffs' claim, and all costs in connection with the action and such further costs as the plaintiffs shall be entitled to; plaintiffs to pay the defendants their costs connected with the claim for £20 13s. 4d., balance of freight included in plaintiffs' claim, but which, by notice served by the plaintiffs on the defendants, was abandoned.

Mr. Justice Meredith said that he thought that it was very satisfactory to deal with the matter in that way. He would receive the consent to settlement and make it a rule of court.

Mr. Dockrell, K.C., and Mr. Sainsbury (instructed by Mr. M. Good) were for the defendants.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

IGNORED REGULATIONS.

MOTORISTS AND CYCLISTS FINED.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS, K.C.)

A number of cyclists were summoned for failing to observe signals to stop at congested traffic points in the city, such as Grafton street and College Green, and fines were imposed in every case.

Eric Forbes Cantley, Spencer Villas, Glenageary, was sumoned for driving a motor car recklessly and in a manner dangerous to the public, and also for disregarding regulations.

Constable 36B said that in coming out of Anglesea street into College Green or Dame street, the defendant collided with a pony and car. He came round the corner on the wrong side.

The defendant, in giving evidence, said that he was driving very slowly through Anglesea street and when nearing the top of the street he saw a pony and car crossing. He was going down Dame street in the direction of Trinity College. The driver was leaning over his knees with his head down and the reins hanging loosely. When a passenger who was in the motor car shouted, the witness blew the horn twice, the man driving the pony "apparently awoke from his sleep" and pulled the reins suddenly, with the result that the pony slipped and its forefeet went under the right wheel of the motor car. The two shafts of the car struck the motor car.

The magistrate held that a breach of the regulations had been committed, and he imposed a fine of 20s. on one summons and marked the other "cautioned"

OTHER CASES.

A young man named Strahan was remanded in custody, charged with breaking and entering the house of Mr. James Moore, 2 Booterstown avenue, between 3 and 4 a.m. on the 15th inst., and with being illegally in possession of a lady's coat, boots, towels and overall.

Maurice Freeman, draper and general dealer, Lower Kevin street, was charged with being illegally in possession of a quantity of "hair cloth."

It was stated by the defendant's counsel (Mr. M. J. Gleeson) that the cloth in question was offered to his client at a certain price, but he refused the offer. The person who brought the cloth left it behind him, and the defendant, on discovering it later, marked it, "Left on the premises."

Mr. Collins marked the case "cautioned."

On a charge of stealing the cloth informations were refused.

CLONAKILTY SHOW.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL.

FINE DISPLAY OF DAIRY CATTLE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.)
CLONAKILTY, Wednesday.

The Clonakilty Agricultural Society's Show, in the compact, well-planned grounds to-day, was the second since the revival of the fixture, after a lapse of several years. It was feared that the rain, so necessary for root crops, which fell overnight, would continue and spoil the attendance. The sun shone brilliantly during the day, and, with most of the people in holiday mood, the gate receipts were substantial. Farmers, young and old, were present in great strength, and keen interest was taken in the judging.

Especially interesting was the section for dairy cattle, which included milch cows of great productive capacity, that have already won honours at more pretentious fixtures. There was also a fine display of horseflesh, and a varied collection of agricultural machinery. It was a typical farmers' show, well supported by those for whom it was organised. The Committee worked as one man, and the general arrangements were carried out in a most effective manner, under the direction of the Secretary, Mr. P. O'Donovan. Music was provided by the Greenmount Schools Band.

The judges were:—Horses—Messrs. Roberts and C. A. Love. Cattle—W. Mitchell and N. Fitzgerald. Sheep—T. O'Sullivan. Dogs—R. Cussen. Butter and Poultry—Miss Slattery.

CATTLE.

The entries in the cattle classes were good, especially in the classes for dairy stock. For Shorthorn Bulls, calved since 1st September, 1923, James O'Sullivan, Carryroe, led with the thick-set, good-ribbed red, Melleray Gift, by Scraham. This bull cost 100 guineas. Mrs. C. Collins's good-quartered red Farran Lodestar was second, and D. McCarthy's Farran Marquis, a lengthy red roan, third.

For Aberdeen Angus Bulls, any age, L. Keohan was first with Witan of Condonstown, a nice sappy yearling by Jim 2nd of Tubberdaly. J. Woulfe's four year old, Gerald of Gort, was second.

Out of seven entries in the Class for Pure-Bred Beef Bulls, any age, Henry Applebe led with the well-balanced roan shorthorn, Cloughduv Broadhooks. Dr. G. H. Crofts was second with the valuable Hereford, Paymaster, by Bonfire, while James O'Sullivan's Melleray Gift was third.

In a well-filled class for Cows in Calf or Milk, any breed or age, Mr. M. Santry led with the outstanding red and white, Castlefreke Favourite. She has a record of 1,015 gallons, with 365 lb. butter fat in 37 weeks, and belongs to a herd that won the Beamish and Crawford Cup for herds of over six and under ten cows with an average yield of 954 gallons of milk and 346 lb. butter fat. H. Applebe's Primrose II., a well-balanced roan, was second, and D. McCarthy's typical roan, Maggie II., was third.

In the Farmers' Class for Cows in Calf or Milk, Michael Santry's well-balanced Castlefreke Favourite was again first; P. Attridge's Rose second, and James Barry's Sycamore, a nice red and white, third.

The Miss Beamish Special Prize went to James Twohig.

In a strong class for the Best Registered Dairy Cow in the County, H. Applebe's Primrose II., an 1,100 gallon roan, was first; P. Attridge's Rose, a 1,054 gallon cow, second, and M. Santry's Castlefreke Favourite, already mentioned, third.

For Three Year Old Heifers in Calf or Milk, H. Applebe's Primrose was first, D. Buckley's roan second, and John O'Donovan's Dairymaid third.

For Two Year Old Heifers M. Santry was first, D. Brickley second, and James Barry third; while for Yearlings, T. H. Perrott was first and second, and J. O'Sullivan third.

For Non-Pedigree Bulls of Shorthorn type, B. Whelton was first, T. J. Sheehy second, and P. J. McCarthy third.

A grand collection of calves was headed by H. Applebe's sappy light roan, Lady Patience II., by Cloughduv Broadhooks. P. McCarthy's Lucky Lad was second, and J. J. O'Sullivan's Rathbarry Varden third.

For Registered Dairy Shorthorn Bulls, two years old and upwards, Thomas Bryan led with Earl of Belvelly, a shapely red three year old, P. McCarthy's Cloughduv Ranger being second.

For Half-bred Dairy Shorthorn Bulls John O'Donovan's Coolmore General was first, and C. J. McCarthy's Bessborough Pointer second.

In the Open Class for Registered Dairy Cows H. Applebe's Primrose II., a 1,101-gallon roan, was first; P. Attridge's 1,054-gallon Rose second, and M. Santry's 865-gallon roan, Rathbarry Blossom, third.

In the Farmers' Class for Registered Dairy Cows P. Attridge's Rose was first, M. Santry's Castlefreke Favourite second, and Jas. Barry's 1,132-gallon Sycamore third.

For two-year-old heifers the progeny of a registered dairy cow J. R. O'Donovan led with Lily of the Valley; P. Holland's Lily was second, and John Santry's Tullinesky Milkmaid third.

Out of nine entries in the class for yearling heifers the progeny of registered dairy cows, Jas. O'Sullivan's Strawberry II. was first; W. Holland's Cloughduv Countess III. second, and John Santry's Tullineasky Tulip third.

For heifer calves H. Applebe was first, Jas. O'Sullivan second, and John O'Donovan third, while for bull calves P. McCarthy was first and T. H. Perrott second.

SHEEP AND PIGS.

There was a small show of sheep. In the long-woolled section Border Leicesters were prominent, and prizes went to J. Kingston, J. Dineen, Jas. McCarthy, R. B. Kingston, S. and J. Kingston, J. Collins.

In a uniform class for Black-face Rams T. W. Bateman and T. H. Perrott won prizes.

The first-prize winners in the Swine Classes were fit to win at any provincial show. Simon McCarthy won two firsts and the show cup for sows. Other successful exhibitors were Robert Levis and Jas. McCarthy.

THE DOG CLASSES.

Dogs made a fair display. For Harriers T. O'Brien led with Gallant, and S. Beamish was second with Woodman.

For Greyhounds S. Hurley's brindle dog was first, C. O'Driscoll's black second, and J. Holland's black and white third.

For Collies D. McCarthy's Charlie of Ashgrove led, O. Perrott was second, and C. O'Neill third.

For Kerry Blues D. O'Driscoll's Mount Bellew Boxer was first, J. Kingston second, and J. O'Neill third.

In the Butter Classes prizes went to Mrs. T. Kehane, Thos. Sweetman, W. H. Bryan, Miss M. Meade and Mrs. Slyne.

POULTRY AND EGGS.

There was a useful lot of utility poultry, particularly in the Chicken Classes, and prizes were awarded to Miss B. White, Mrs. E. Perrott, Miss L. Attridge, Miss H. Santry, Mrs. W. Fleming, Miss T. O'Sullivan, Mrs. F. McCarthy, Mrs. Mary MacSwiney, M. E. Keohane, Mrs. J. J. O'Sullivan, Mrs. J. Calnan, Miss N. French Blake, Mrs. D. Brickley, Mrs. M. McSweeney.

Eggs were successfully shown by Mrs. T. Keohane, Mrs. M. McSweeney, Mrs. E. O'Sullivan, Mrs. F. McCarthy, Miss K. Hayes.

HORSES.

A big class for Brood Mares calculated to produce Hunters was headed by M. Santry's good-boned, roomy grey, Playmate, by Sweetheart. P. J. McCarthy's good-barrelled chestnut by Sleaford was second, and John Holland's good-looking grey by Brewer third.

Thirteen made up a class for Agricultural Brood Mares. H. Wilson led with the fine six-year-old bay, Jennie, by Fota Baron; P. J. McCarthy's bay by County Councillor was second, and Dan Donovan's Black Molly third.

For Thoroughbred Stallions W. Hayes was first with the well-knit brown, Mr. Brian, by Ardoon; W. O'Driscoll was second with Earn's Glen.

For Agricultural Stallions, John Parry's Victor's Pride was first.

In the Class for Hunters to carry 12st., W. H. Daunt's stylish four-year-old grey mare was first, Miss (E. Somerville's Dan Russell the Fox second; and the Rev P. O'Connell's aged gelding third.

For Three-Year-Olds likely to make Hunters, J. C. O'Sullivan's Ben Alder filly was first; Mr. Hayes's Black Beauty second, and Miss Somerville's Brian Boru third.

For Two-Year-Olds likely to make Hunters, J. C. O'Sullivan's chestnut by M. Brian was first, and a bay by Ben Alder second; Timothy Lawton's Jabberwock was third.

In the Yearling Class, D. Crowley was first, J. C. O'Sullivan second, and John Lombard's Speak Hoe third.

For Agricultural Horses four years old and upwards, William H. Bryan led with a dark brown gelding by Champion, D. O'Driscoll was second, and D. Crowley's George third.

For General Purposes, 2 years old, B. Murphy was first, D. J. Murphy second, and W. Perrott third.

For Yearling General Purpose Horses, John Calan was first, T. Driscoll second and James McCarthy third.

For Three-Year-Olds and Upwards for General Purposes, William Hayes was first and second, Dr. Croft's being third.

For Ponies 13.2 to 14.2 hands.—D. O'Leary's Cream Lass was first, T. O'Driscoll's Golden Dream second, and W. Magner's Speck third.

For Ponies 12.2 to 13.2 hands, T. Cowhig was first, P. O'Sullivan second, and Mrs. J. Hawkins third.

For Ponies 13.2 hands and under—John Hennessy was first, John Jennings second, and D. Donovan third.

Ponies 13.2 hands and under (confined)—J. Jennings's Split the Wind, first; Colonel Callaghan's gelding, second; S. Daly's Pride, third.

Yearling Ponies, 12 hands and under—D. White, first; J. Cullinane, second; M. Hayes, third.

JUMPING.

First Competition—The Rev. L. Callanan's Even Money, first; Mr. Hydes's Vixen, second; Mr. E. S. O'Grady's Banshee, third.

Second Competition—Mr. E. S. O'Grady's Banshee, first; Mr. Hydes's Vixen, second; Dr. Croft's Ballybooley, third.

Competition for Cobs, 14.3 and under—Mr. D. O'Leary's Cream Lass, first; Mr. E. S. O'Grady's The Topper, second; Mr. J. C. O'Sullivan, third.

DUBLIN UNION.

CONTRACTS FOR COAL AND FLOUR.

At the meeting of the Dublin Union Commissioners yesterday it was announced that no moiety of the £59,028 10s. due by contributory bodies in respect of the second instalment for the year 1925-26 had yet been paid. The credit balance to the Union Commissioners' account was £15,194 12s. 6d.

Various contracts were considered and accepted, among which were the following:—500 tons of Florida house coals (delivered at the Union yards) at 33s. 10d., and 400 tons of Lewis Merthyr steam coal (60 per cent. large and 40 per cent. small), f.o.b. Cardiff, at 21s. a ton, with a further contract for freightage from Cardiff to the Union yards, Dublin, at 14s. 10d. per ton. Flour contracts at 47s. 6d. per sack (first quality) and 45s. 6d. per sack (second quality) were accepted.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Chapelizod Fête.—The variety of amusements to be found at Chapelizod Fête, which opened yesterday in the grounds of Culmore, Chapelizod, include golfing, dancing, hobby-horses and competitions of many kinds. The field in which the fête is being held slopes down to the river, where boats can be hired. The Civic Guard's band played yesterday afternoon, and will attend again to-morrow. The 1st Company of the Boys' Brigade band is engaged for Thursday and Saturday. The fête will remain open until the end of the week, and can be reached by 'bus in five minutes from Parkgate street. The proceeds will be devoted to the Chapelizod Church Fund.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

Departures—J. H. Bond, W. T. Trench, P. M. McGettrick, T. Ambler, H. McDonald, J. Sweeney, Sir A. Wood Renton, J. Tate, the Rev. J. Butler, Sir H. Plunkett, the Rev. J. A. Nugent, Dr. F. J. Combe.

Arrivals—J. Warburton, W. Butler, R. D. Crosby, E. Wall, J. Cooper, the Rev. P. Veale, J. Sinclair, N. P. Hearne, G. McKnight, W. H. Tate, T. and Mrs. Roberts, W. P. Browne, J. Casey, E. W. Armstrong, J. J. Fitzpatrick, J. McGrath.

LEINSTER.

Presentation to Stationmaster—Mr. Stephen Gleeson, who has been appointed stationmaster of Mallow, has received presentations from the staff of Newbridge Station, where he has served for five years. Prior to that time he had been stationmaster at Kildare, Tullamore and at Athlone. Newbridge, the nearest station to the Curragh, is a very busy one.

Rate Collector Charged. — Michael B. Dunne, a Meath County Council rate collector, was committed for trial at Kells on Tuesday on a charge of misappropriating £390, money alleged to have been collected on account of rates. It was stated that the accused man was still a rate collector. Bail in £[illegible]0 and two sureties of £100 each was allowed.

Free Libraries Day Passing—In furtherance of an economy campaign, New Ross, County Wexford, Urban Council on Tuesday decided not to make any more contributions to the County Library Scheme. A member said that when the new Compulsory Education Act was passed they would not want free libraries.

No "Chance" in Police Court.—When a man charged with disorderly conduct at Athlone was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment, he asked the Bench to toss for double or quits—fourteen days or discharge.

Soldier Robs Comrades.—Private Hynes, of the National Army, stationed at Longford, pleaded guilty at the local Court yesterday to the larceny of clothing and sums of money amounting to £7 8s. from his comrades. He was allowed out under the First Offenders Act on giving an undertaking to repay the stolen money. When arrested he had £7 in his possession.

Navan Show.—County Meath Agricultural Society's Show will open in Navan to-morrow week. Special railway facilities and excursion fares have been arranged. Entries in all classes are good.

Corporation Ignores Vaccination Laws.—The Local Government Dept. has called the Kilkenny Corporation's attention to a medical Inspector's report, which states that there are 2,424 vaccination defaulters in the urban area. The Department urges the compliance with the Vaccination Laws, but the Corporation decided to take no action.

Alleged Incendiarism. — William Hogan, Ballingarry, near Gorey, and his nephew, Patrick Hogan, aged 19, were remanded in custody at Gorey yesterday on charges of burning an out-office, three carts, and a cycle belonging to Patrick Ebbs, Ballingarry.

Kilkenny and Dr. Mannix.—Kilkenny Corporation has decided to present an adress of welcome on behalf of the citizens to Archbishop Mannix on his forthcoming visit to receive the Freedom of the City.

MUNSTER.

Clare Outrages.—Six shots are stated to have been fired at Charles and Joseph Killoughrey, Tiermaclane, last Monday while they were haymaking at Coor, near Ennis. Neither was injured. There is some dispute about the ownership of the meadow. Nine armed men are reported to have threatened Michael Carrig, Tullcrine, a herd, and ordered him to leave his employment.

Economy in Clare.—Clare Asylum Committee on Tuesday discussed a proposal to purchase a safe at a cost of £91 in which to keep the records. Further consideration of the matter was postponed for three years owing to the precarious condition of the county finances. The Council's term of office will expire in three years.

Draw for Chairman.—Two members were nominated for the office of Chairman of the Limerick City Home and Hospital Committee. The voting was equal, so the names were written on slips and put in a hat. That of Mr. A. Walsh was drawn first, and he was declared elected.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Coleraine Harbour Traffic.—It was reported to the meeting of Coleraine Harbour Board yesterday that the revenue from January 1 to July 10 totalled £2,347 4s. 10d., as compared with £2,230 17s. 4d. for the previous year. During the month 31 steamers arrived of a net registered tonnage of 3,896 tons. For the corresponding period of last year there were 27 steamers of 2,515 tons. The potatoes exported during the month were 253 tons, making a total for the season of 22,[illegible] tons, as compared with 20,169 tons for the corresponding period of last year.

Pigeons' Long Flight.—Fifty-two pigeons arrived in Belfast on the day that they were liberated from Landernean, near Brest, in the Ulster Federation of Homing Pigeon Societies' national race of 435 miles. The birds were released at 6.5 a.m. The weather was very clear, with a light easterly wind. The first arrival was at 7.49 p.m.

Death from Scalds—A verdict of accidental death was returned at an inquest in Belfast yesterday into the death of William George Snell, aged one and a half years, who spilled a cup of hot tea over himself and died on Sunday, after being in hospital for three weeks. Death was due to shock, following scalds.

Londonderry Bank Appointment. — The directors of the Belfast Bank has appointed Mr. John MacKillip joint manager of the Londonderry Branch with Mr. John McClatchie, in recognition of his long service. Mr. MacKillip has spent all his life in his native town of Londonderry.

Stoning Trains.—For throwing stones at a passing train near the Windsor grounds, two boys in the Belfast Children's Court yesterday were ordered to pay 30s. and costs, and their parents directed to enter into bail for their future good behaviour.

Captain's Orders Disobeyed. — Thomas Wilson, fireman on board the steamer Maplewood, at the York Dock, Belfast, was sentenced to four weeks' imprisonment, with hard labour, in Belfast yesterday, for disobeying the orders of Captain Davis.

Peaceful Armagh.—In his address to the grand jury at Armagh yesterday, Mr. Justice Moore said that the amount of crime in the county was very small. Everything was peaceful and quiet. The judge paid a tribute to the memory of Surgeon Palmer.

The American Consul in Belfast has been officially informed that the medical examination of emigrants before sailing for the United States will commence on August 1.

Mr. Samuel Bradbury, son of Mr. A. Bradbury, manager of the Clogher branch of the Ulster Bank, succeeds in the same branch Mr. J. Uprichard, who has been transferred to Belfast.

The death took place last Sunday of Capt. J. A. Miller, Superintendent of the Foyle, B[illegible] and Portrush fisheries on behalf of Messrs. Pettrie and Co., Ltd. Captain Miller served in the Middlesex Regiment during the war.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

A HOTEL LOUNGER.

CONVICTED ON CHARGE OF RECEIVING.

(BEFORE JUDGE DROMGOOLE.)

Thomas Moran, against whom there were previous convictions for larceny, was found guilty of receiving two overcoats, a pair of fur-lined gloves and a silk handkerchief, which were stolen from the hall of Sefton House, Whitecross, Blackrock, the residence of Reginald Willman.

Mr. Carrigan, K.C., prosecuting, remarked that Moran had become a source of annoyance to people visiting restaurants and hotels in the city, and appeared to specialise in this form of theft. On the night of the 14th April last a police constable saw Moran, with another man, standing outside No. 87 Grafton street, and when he approached them the men ran away in opposite directions. Moran was pursued and arrested. At College street police station a pair of gloves, a handkerchief, a lady's handbag, a pocket-book, two wallets and a telephone directory were found in his possession.

The accused told the jury yesterday that a gentleman left the gloves behind him in the Globe Hotel on Easter Monday, and that he went out to find him, but could not see where he had gone. He picked up the handbag outside Woolworth's Stores in Grafton street. He bought the silk handkerchief in Clery's on Christmas Eve, 1923. He denied knowing anything about the overcoats.

Detective Sergeant Gibney deposed to arresting a man named Michael Comber and finding pawn tickets in his possession in respect of the stolen overcoats.

This man had pleaded guilty to stealing the articles, and is awaiting sentence. Moran was also put back for sentence.

AN ALIBI.

Charles Mulhall and John Sutton were found not guilty of assaulting Patrick Dowd, a bookmaker's clerk, and robbing him of £15.

Dowd's evidence was that he was cycling from Baldoyle to Malahide at noon on the 8th May, when the accused set upon him near the Tower at Malahide, knocked him off his bicycle, pulled him behind the Tower and took the £15, which was in notes and silver, from his pockets.

The defence was an *alibi*.

ROBBED BY ARMY RECRUIT.

A boy named Patrick Golden was found guilty of assaulting Mrs. Annie D'Arcy and robbing her of £2 at Bath place, Blackrock, on the 18th April. He was put back for sentence.

Mrs. D'Arcy told the jury that she was going to the railway station after closing her shop in the Main street when the accused suddenly stepped out in front of her, pointed a revolver at her and demanded her money. She screamed, and he said, "Don't scream or I'll blow your brains out." When she told him that she had no money, he said, "Out with it," and repeated the threat to blow her brains out. She gave him £2. He said, "Is that all?" and searched the inner pockets of her overcoat.

When arrested at the Curragh Camp, Golden, who was a recruit, said to Detective McGarry: "If I 'held up' Mrs. D'Arcy and got £50 you would not get me in the Curragh to-day." Afterwards he said that he was guilty, that he knew where Mountjoy Prison was, and that he "got six months before."

The accused, in court, denied the charge, and stated that he was in a billiards room in Blackrock when he heard that Mrs. D'Arcy had been robbed.

DUBLIN TRAM ACCIDENT.

EX-POLICE SERGEANT'S ACTION.

(BEFORE ASSISTANT JUDGE PIGOT.)

An ex-police sergeant named Timothy O'Sullivan, of 25 St. Clement's road, Dublin, and at present employed as a collector for an insurance company, sought damages from the Dublin United Tramways Company on account of personal injuries received on the morning of the 3rd November last, by reason of the negligence of the driver of a tramcar at Ormond quay.

The plaintiff, who was riding a bicycle, turned out of Swift's row on to the quay, and had gone a short distance in the direction of the Park, when his case was that the tramcar came along behind him, struck his bicycle and knocked him down. He was injured on the face, shoulder and knee, and was in bed for three weeks. He said that he did not hear any gong sounded before the accident.

The case for the Tramway Company was that the plaintiff came suddenly out of Swift's Row, and without giving the driver of the tramcar time to pull up, came right across to the front of the car. The driver said that when he came to Swift's Row he saw a man riding a bicycle on the right-hand side and going in the same direction as the tramcar. He sounded his gong, but the man on the bicycle wheeled suddenly right across to the front of the tram, and in this way the accident occurred.

Judge Pigot dismissed the case.

Mr. Hector Hughes (instructed by Mr. J. C. Erskine) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. J. J. Mooney (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) for the Tramways Company.

STONES ON THE TRACK.

BOYS STOP HOWTH TRAIN.

In a case at Howth District Court yesterday, in which two boys, named John Darker and Michael Monahan, were charged with placing stones on the railway line at Killester, it was stated that a warning was given, and a train from Howth had to be pulled up at Killester. A fireman removed one stone weighing about 14lb., some smaller stones and a key block from the rails. There had been a great deal of stone-throwing at Killester recently, and on one occasion two windows of a train were broken and two passengers were injured.

The Justice (Mr. E. J. Little) said that the offence was punishable by penal servitude, but in this case he would allow the defendants out under the Probation of Offenders Act, the boys to be of good behaviour for twelve months.

EXEMPTION ORDER REFUSED.

An application was made on behalf of Mr. Thomas McKenna, publican, Abbey Tavern, Howth, for an exemption order in respect of the mornings during the fishing season, which ends on the 1st September.

Superintendent O'Shea objected on the grounds that two public-houses in Howth already had been granted exemption orders, this number, in his opinion, being quite enough. If this order were given now, he said, all the other publicans would request similar facilities.

The Justice said that it was not proved to his satisfaction that such an order was desirable, and he accordingly refused the application.

CAMPER FINED.

Francis Cotter, St. Anne's road, was summoned by Owen and Patrick Donnelly for trespassing on their land at Kilrock, Howth.

The defendant said that he had been camping at this place for some years, and had obtained permission from Mr. Saunders, the agent. He paid the agent 5s. rent on the 22nd June, and later on paid him 10s.

The Justice said that there undoubtedly had been a trespass by the defendant. He would fine him 10s. and £1 costs.

The defendant intimated that he would appeal.

ASSAULTED CIVIC GUARD.

Molly Woods, Chancery street, was fined 10s. and costs for having been drunk and disorderly at Raheny on the 14th and 28th June. On a charge of assaulting a Civic Guard she was sentenced to two months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

A CYCLIST'S DEFENCE.

A motor cyclist who was summoned for driving through Howth without a light told the Justice that a friend of his met with an accident, and that he gave him his machine and tied up his leg, which was cut, so as to help him home: "and now, I suppose," he added, "I will have to pay through the nose for acting the Christian. (Laughter.) The best thing to do is to leave a man lying as you find him."

The case against the defendant was dismissed.

INCORPORATED LAW SOCIETY.

EXAMINATION RESULT.

At the Intermediate Examination for Apprentices to Solicitors, held on the 2nd inst., the following passed, and their names are classed and arranged in order of merit:—

Class I.—1, Austin R. Farrell; 2 and 3, James J. Hickey and Herbert McCloughan, equal; 4, Timothy K. Keane; 5, Henry J. Frizelle; 6, Patk. J. Branigan; 7, James Burns; 8 and 9, James S. Byrne and James C. Fagan, equal; 10, Gerald J. O'Donnell; 11, Desmond Counahan; 12 and 13, Patrick Byrne and Robert J. Kehoe, equal; 14, Joseph Barrett; 15, John P. J. Smyth; 16, Henry J. J. Walker; 17, Joseph P. L. Murphy; 18, John Lombard; 19, Annie J. Smyth; 20, James Cody; 21, George Crowley.

Class II.—1, William D. Leetch; 2, Henry E. H. Donegan; 3, John M. Dudley; 4, Timothy Lynch; 5, Francis Poyntz; 6, Maurice de L. Staunton; 7, Richard A. Burke; 8, Noel P. Shee; 9, Dermod Lynch; 10, Edward Neville; 11, Louis C. Murphy; 12, Charles J. Laverty.

The remaining candidates are postponed.

After re-starting the engine of a motor car that had been giving trouble, Robert Sampson (44), upholsterer, of Whiteleaf, Surrey, collapsed at the steering wheel, and when medical aid was summoned was found to be dead.

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HIBERNIAN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The monthly meeting of the General Committee of the Hibernian Bible Society was held at 20 Lincoln place, Dublin, last Tuesday. The Deputation Secretary reported that nine sermons had been preached and one meeting addressed during June. Applications for grants were read and considered, and 3,306 Bibles, New Testaments and Portions were granted free and at reduced prices for day and Sunday schools, prizes, emigrants, and colportage work. Cheques were drawn to pay accounts as audited and a contribution of £718 10s. 8d. forwarded to the British and Foreign Bible Society. There will be no meeting of the Committee in August. Contributions for the work at home and abroad will be thankfully received at the Society's Dépôt, 20 Lincoln place, Dublin.

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BUILDING & RECONSTRUCTION

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CRUMLIN (CO. DUBLIN) HOUSING SCHEME.

The Imperial Tobacco Co. have purchased a large building site at Crumlin, Co. Dublin, and have commenced a section of their housing scheme with roads.

The houses are being erected for their own employés, and are built in blocks of five houses and two houses. Each house contains a sittingroom and a living room, three bedrooms, and a bathroom, provided with hot and cold water.

The bedrooms have combined mantel pieces and gas fires, and the wash houses are fitted with gas coppers.

The ranges are "Triplex," and form an excellent and economical fitting in the living room. The roofs of the houses are covered with the well-known deep maroon Beauvais (French) roofing tiles.

The houses have been designed by Mr. F. G. Hicks, F.R.I.B.A., of Merrion square, Dublin, and the work has been carried out by Messrs. J. Kenny and Sons, Harcourt road, Dublin, and Limerick, who are the contractors for the Marino Housing Schemes, 1 and 2, comprising 430 houses.

Another view of the scheme is published on next page.

BUILDING MATERIALS FOR FREE STATE.

LARGE INCREASE IN CEMENT IMPORTS.

The conditions of Irish industry are reflected in the following statement of imports for the first three months of the year, furnished by the Statistics Branch of the Department of Industry and Commerce, Lower Castle Yard, Dublin.

While many of the articles imported show a decrease cement is notable for a large increase, the quantity imported for the first three months this year being 24,354 tons, as compared with 16,417 for the same period last year. The values for the respective periods were £74,380 and £51,633.

IMPORTS INTO THE FREE STATE.

Article.	Value. 3 Months Jan-Mar., 1925.	3 Months Jan-Mar., 1924.
TOBACCO :		
Unmanufactured	157,364	248,641
Manufactured	10,784	98,301
OTHER RAW MATERIALS AND MANUFACTURED GOODS :		
Coal	988,094	1,131,138
Clay Products	8[illegible],640	106,740
Glass and Glassware	65,449	68,957
Cement	74,380	51,633
Cutlery and Hardware and Apparatus	120,144	130,635
Machinery	275,617	274,121
Other Manufactures of Iron and Steel	431,421	575,121
Other Metals and Manufactures thereof	91,040	89,238
Electrical Goods	73,568	100,893
Vehicles and Parts—Motor Cars, Touring	152,861	241,273
Commercial Vehicles, Motor	11,473	42,233
Parts for Motor Cars	130,788	140,949
Cycles and Parts	63,750	67,901
Other Vehicles and Parts ...	36,196	49,737
Rail Vehicles and Parts	4,742	6,761
Timber, Hewn	9,763	11,380
Do. Sawn, Planed, etc...	142,633	141,629
Wooden Manufactures	149,166	159,966
Leather and Manufactures..	165,864	103,975
Rubber and Manufactures..	145,626	123,434
Paper and Cardboard	259,623	252,676
Seeds for Expressing Oil ..	5,695	9,419
Tallow	8,025	2,458
Oils, Unrefined	39,608	31,638
Oils, Refined :		
Petroleum Lamp Oil	75,472	100,238
Petroleum Motor Spirit	219,829	198,637
Lubricating Oil	55,608	51,734
Other Refined Oils	28,204	31,281
Candles	5,346	26,049
Soap	72,219	92,736
Fertilisers	234,877	313,646
Chemicals, Drugs, Paints, etc.	200,841	201,514
Books, Newspapers, etc. ...	129,536	102,468
Matches	15,426	21,003
Other Articles, Raw and Manufactured	736,010	813,904
Total of all imports...	15,551,920	15,914,650

WATER.

In a method of cutting steel under water recently developed in America, the equipment used is known as an electro-gasburning torch. It consists essentially of a flat carbon electrode with two holes through its centre. This electrode is set in a combination holder that connects the carbon to the electric lead wire and the holes with a gas hose, both of which come down to the diver's position in a single manifold. This, with a life-line and air hose complete the diver's underwater equipment. Current for the torch is supplied by a generator, and tanks of oxygen furnish the gas.

Where gas and electricity are used in combination the cutting action is first the striking of an arc by touching the electrode to the point at which the cutting is to be done. Then the carbon is pulled away quickly, until a long electric arc remains between the end of the electrode and the metal. When used under water the result of this electric arc is the formation of a pocket or globe of water vapour round the arc, so that the oxygen gas that flows through the pipes in the carbon to the tip of the electrode is forced through a vapour area directly upon the metal to be burned.

RECENT CONCRETE WORKS.

Examples of works in which concrete plays an all-important part continue to be placed on record. One of the most notable is, of course, the now famous Littleton Reservoir, which covers an area of nearly 800 acres, and the construction of which has occupied nearly ten years, although an interval in which little was done was necessitated by reason of the war.

The reservoir is surrounded by a concrete embankment rising 38ft. above the ground level. The maximum depth of the water when the reservoir is full will be 38ft. A breakwater extends from one side to a little over half-way across the basin for the purpose of breaking the waves caused by high winds, and is six furlongs long.

Another application which is pointed out by "Concrete" is that of pit-head gears. These, with the adjacent receiving platforms, screening and tipping sheds, particularly lend themselves to this form of construction, thus eliminating the deterioration common to both wood and steel structures. The concrete system has largely been employed in the reconstruction of the mines in the north of France.

Another example quoted in the same journal is the Frances Reckitt Institute at Hull. This has been built as a social club for the employés of Messrs. Reckitt and Sons, of Hull. It comprises a large assembly room, with concrete platform on the ground room, basement with kitchen, and three floors above ground floor used as workrooms, gymnasium, etc. The exterior walls of the building are of brickwork, and the whole of the interior is of reinforced concrete. The concreting was done with a specially designed concrete chute erected outside the building, and having a chute with a radius of 70 feet. All the concrete was mixed by machine and hoisted and tipped automatically into the chute.

PLANS FOR BUILDING WORKS IN DUBLIN.

Plans for new buildings and works of reconstruction in Dublin were approved by Mr. Horace T. O'Rourke, City Architect, during the two weeks ending 11th July, as follows :

33 Lower Dorset street, rear (temporary appro. for 12 months) (garage)—William Bushe.

12 Vernon Gardens, adjoining (shed)—Robert Moore.

Cabra road (eight dwellinghouses)—W. C. Bowen.

Vernon avenue, Clontarf (bungalow)—W. Keatinge.

320, 322 and 324 North Circular road (three shops)—T. Gaskin.

Emmet road, Inchicore (two dwellings)—John Murphy.

6 and 7 Suffolk street (alterations)—National Bank, Ltd.

Seafield road, Clontarf (six dwellings)—R. Russell.

Vernon avenue, Clontarf (bungalow)—E. Dexter.

Cabra road (eight dwellings)—F. Manning.

Doone avenue, Glasnevin (two dwellings)—Miss Ellis.

TENDERS WANTED.

By Dublin Borough Commissioners, by 27th July, for the erection of 218 houses at Keogh Barracks, Inchicore.

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By Limerick County Council, to-day, for rebuilding Newcastle West Courthouse.

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By Rev. T. Lavin, P.P., by 20th July, for erecting a new national school at Clashaganny.

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By Manager of Toomevara Creamery, for the erection of a new store.

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By Dublin Commissioners, by 27th July, for painting work, etc., at Crooksling Sanatorium.

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By the Commissioner of Cork Co. Borough, by 17th July, for renewal of cast-iron water mains.

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By Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust, by 27th July, for repairs to cottages in Cork rural district.

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By Rev. Father O'Donnell, P.P., by 18th July, for repairs to Catholic Church, Glenealy, Wicklow.

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By Irish Sailors' and Soldiers' Land Trust, by 27th July, for repairs to cottages in Carlow Rural District.

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By Mr. Allan MacDonald, architect, Galway, by 25th July, for new drainage work at Presentation Convent, Athenry.

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By Mr. J. J. Robinson, architect, 8 Merrion square, Dublin, by 30th July, for renovations to Grallagh House, Thurles.

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By Very Rev. Father Johnson, P.P., by 18th July, for wiring of electric light installation at new church and house, Dromiskin, Co. Louth.

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By Rev. A. Thompson, The Manse, Dromore, County Down, by 6th August, for the erection of a new elementary school in Backnamullagh.

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By Commissioner for Kerry County Council, by 20th July, for reconstructing in reinforced concrete Cahirciveen Bridge, over the Valentia River.

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By Belfast Corporation, by 28th July, for construction of approaches, piers, abutments, and steel work for the bridge over Great Northern Railway at Tate's avenue.

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By Grangegorman Mental Hospital Committee, by 31st July, for two sanatoriae at Portrane, and conversion of coastguard station there into dwelling houses.

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By Government of Northern Ireland, by 31st July, for erection of new constabulary barracks at (1) Ballinamallard, Co. Fermanagh; (2) Mountfield, Co. Tyrone; (3) Cranagh, Co. Tyrone, and alterations and additions to the barracks at Rosemount, Londonderry, and Armoy, Co. Antrim.

DUBLIN NOTES.

The relaying of Middle Abbey street with reinforced concrete and asphalt surface is practically complete.

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The tender of the Glasgow Expounded Metal Company at £1,186 has been accepted by the City Commissioners for reinforcing the concrete foundations for the new houses at Keogh Barracks.

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The City Commissioners are now in a position to proceed with the extension of Gloucester street into Sackville street, and the widening of Cathedral street. The only objections raised were by the Dublin United Tramways Company, as occupiers of premises in Cathedral street, and the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland, as owners of the ruins of St. Thomas's Church. The Commissioners have come to a satisfactory arrangement with these parties, and there is now no further obstacle to effecting these civic improvements.

M. P. Landru, representing the Establissements Fouquet (France), asked permission from Bray Urban Council to erect bungalow houses constructed mainly of asbestos panels. He said that his firm could erect three-roomed houses, with scullery, for £180 each, within a period of six weeks. The price did not include sewers, gas, or water. He was asked to submit plans.

MILITARY BARRACKS TO LET.

SPECIAL CONSIDERATION TO INDUSTRIES.

The Commissioners of Public Works are prepared to receive offers for lettings on lease of the properties formerly used as infantry barracks at Newbridge, Co. Kildare, covering an area of about thirty-eight acres, and comprising large blocks of quarters, with hospital, suitable for an institution or capable of conversion into commodious houses or flats with separate entrances and conveniences, large dining halls, recreation building, riding schools, stables and other erections, with ample space for new buildings.

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The Grand Canal, running within three miles of the town, communicates by water with Dublin, Tullamore, Athlone, Carrick-on-Shannon, Killaloe, Limerick, Athy, New Ross, Waterford, and intermediate towns.

The blocks of quarters would be let as a whole or separately to an institution or to persons desirous of leasing them as an investment with a view to reconstructing and subletting them as residences or service flats, and applications will be entertained from individuals desiring to rent portions for conversion into self-contained houses or flats for their own occupation.

Applications to view should be addressed to the Secretary, Office of Public Works, 51 St. Stephen's Green.

COST OF FERNS WATER AND COTTAGE SCHEMES.

At the final meeting of Enniscorthy Rural District Council the following letter was read from Mr. Flood, engineer:—"The Ferns waterworks and the new cottage building scheme are now completed. The cost of both schemes amounted to £10,000 roughly, and as the work in both cases was carried out directly under the Council it involved an enormous amount of travelling by me. Ferns work is finished £200 less than the lowest tender for the work. The cottages are completed at approximately £15 per house under the estimate. Being a whole-time officer of your Council, I am not making any claim for extra work involved, but I respectfully submit that I am entitled to the extra cost in travelling in connection with those schemes. I would be satisfied with a percentage of 1½ per cent. on the outlay. This would no more than cover the expenses incurred over and above my ordinary work."

The Council decided to grant 1½ per cent. to Mr. Flood.

BETTER CEMENTS REQUIRED.

Mr. Thaddeus Merriman, Chief Engineer, Board of Water Supply, City of New York, states that : "Notwithstanding the great improvements and developments which have taken place recently in the methods of manufacture, there has been no substantial change in the inherent characteristics of the cement itself since it was first produced. No new cements have been announced until quite recently, as in the case of those based on a high alumina content.

"It is a surprising commentary, states Lieut.-Colonel D. R. Edgar, in the 'R.E. Journal,' that in such an important field of endeavour so relatively little positive advance in definite and specific knowledge should have been made. It is inevitable that a better cement will appear and displace that which now dominates the markets of the world. The natural cement of 1890 gave way to the Portland cement of to-day. In like manner, will Portland cement yield its high position to some yet unknown successor? The natural laws of progress and development are not to be denied."

MERSEY TUNNEL SCHEME.

Mr. Basil Mott, President of the Institution of Civil Engineers, gave details of the proposal to construct a tunnel under the Mersey between Liverpool and Birkenhead before the Lord Wemyss' Select Committee of the House of Lords, and said that they would be able to make the tunnel absolutely water-tight and with no need for pumps. As originally proposed, the tunnel was to have a branch to Wallasey on the Cheshire side, as well as one to the docks, but the Wallasey branch was dropped when Wallasey dropped out of the scheme. It was also proposed to have tramways beneath the traffic tracks, but owing to the objection of the Birkenhead Corporation that the tramways would compete with their passenger ferries, that section of the scheme was also abandoned. Now that tramways in the tunnel were no longer part of the scheme, it was proposed to utilise the space under the road tracks for the laying of pipes and mains for water, gas, and electricity, and for cables for telephony and telegraphy. The Post Office had given notice that they would want provision to be made to meet their requirements.

Further engineering evidence was given by Mr. J. A. Brodie, Chief Engineer of the City of Liverpool. He said in regard to the tunnel that they were following their policy in regard to streets to have them of ample width for the future. The witness mentioned that there had been a proposal for the supplying of Birkenhead with electricity in bulk by Liverpool.

BIG DEVELOPMENT OF ELECTRICITY.

CONTINUED AND RAPID INCREASE.

The annual report of the Chief Inspector of Factories and Workshops in Britain states that, taking industry as a whole, trade conditions have been bad, though there have been particular industries and branches of industry which have been very prosperous. It has been suggested in some quarters that older workers, more especially in the case of women, were being replaced by young labour, but the inspectors have not, in fact, obtained any evidence of this.

Discussing trade developments, the report says that the new industrial areas continue to grow, and the removal of factories from the centre to the outskirts of London is steadily increasing. Perhaps the most noteworthy development is the continued and rapid increase in the generation and use of electricity. Large new stations are being erected, while current is being distributed at voltages hardly thought of a few years ago. Important developments, too, have been taking place in the chemical industry. A new plant, the only one of its kind in this country, has been erected in one area for the manufacture of sulphuric acid by the Schmiedal process; what is said to be the largest alcohol factory in Europe has been started in the Hull district; and the use of liquid chlorine in large quantities is increasing. Among other interesting mechanical developments, the report mentions a new device for speeding up the process of beer bottling, by means of which bottles will be washed, dried, filled, and corked at the rate of 230 dozen per hour.

The number of registered factories increased in the year to 142,494, as against 139,020 in 1923, but workshops declined from 140,850 to 133,720, this being due largely to the introduction of electrical power. There is a tendency for the small places to be absorbed by the big, and, in particular, the small dressmaker and milliner can no longer compete with the large stores, which are able to supply every kind of ready-made clothing to suit all tastes and sizes. The development of motor transport has brought these stores nearer to the outlying country districts.

The figures for 1924 and previous years are comparable only in the case of fatal accidents, which have increased by 89. The main reason for the increase in accidents is trade improvement in shipbuilding, and those industries which experience has shown are the chief accident producers. Shipbuilding accounted for 103 of the fatal accidents, the construction of buildings for 104, metal conversion and rolling mills contributed 97, and loading and unloading in docks 88.

While the staff report few fresh developments in "Safety First" organisation, some slight progress has been made, and where an effective organisation is actually at work the results reported are remarkable.

The report contains a review of the system of employment of women and young persons on the basis of two shifts, and states that the years 1921-24 have not provided a favourable field for experiment, the depressed state of trade making it difficult to judge whether the demand for the two-shift system is likely to be extensive, or whether, if its operation is continued, advantage will be taken of it under normal conditions.

REBUILDING WATERLOO BRIDGE.

Further attempts are being made to induce the London County Council to reconsider their decision to rebuild Waterloo Bridge. A report has been submitted to the Council by the Conference of Societies who urge the preservation of the bridge by underpinning, and, as a result, it is hoped that the Council will refer the whole matter to an independent tribunal.

The report is the outcome of a deputation from the conference which waited last February on the Special Committee on Thames Bridges, and pleaded for a further inquiry before the demolition of the existing bridge was finally decided on. The committee replied that a start could not be made with the new bridge for some months, certainly not before July, and if in the meantime any evidence against the destruction of the bridge were produced it could be considered.

Relying on this undertaking, the conference at once began to look for fresh evidence. As a result of thorough examination by independent engineers, the conference now report that they are able to present an unanswerable case, showing that on technical, artistic, and traffic grounds the destruction of the bridge cannot be justified. With the exception of one, all the engineers who have gone into the matter since last February take the view that the bridge can be preserved by a system of underpinning.

The conference includes representatives of the Royal Academy, the Royal Institute of British Architects, the Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings, the London Society, the Town Planning Institute, the Architecture Club, and a conference of engineers. Mr. Arthur Keen, F.R.I.B.A., is the chairman.

Considerable importance is attached by the conference to the opinion of Mr. H. H. Dalrymple-Hay, who has had a very wide experience of underpinning and similar problems in connection with the underground railways of London. Mr. Dalrymple-Hay, at the request of the Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings, prepared a report, setting forth a scheme for the replacement of the existing timber foundations of the piers by solid concrete. In order to do this, compressed air chambers would be used. Modern engineering methods, he said, admitted of the concrete being placed in position under the piers with perfect safety, and without disturbing a single stone of the existing structure.

£2,200,000 CONTRACT FOR BRITISH FIRM.

The Minister of Public Works of Colombia, in the north-west of South America, has accepted the tender of Messrs. Norton-Griffiths and Co., Ltd., public works contractors, Westminster, London, S.W., to complete the construction of the Central Northern Railway, about 155 miles in length, between Moniquira and Bucaramanga.

The value of the contract, it is understood, is about £2,200,000.

The London firm had to meet keen competition from American and German constructors, who already have interests in Colombia. Practically all the American offers guaranteed favourable credit terms for materials, but the prosperity of Colombia enabled the Government in placing the contract to be independent of such financial aid.

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CRUMLIN HOUSING SCHEME.

Another view of the Crumlin housing scheme for the Imperial Tobacco Company, Limited,

COMING EVENTS.

July 16-September 15—International Exhibition of Inland Navigation Water Power and Hydraulic Engineering—Basle.

July 16-August 15—International Exhibition of Labour Saving Devices. Lacken, Belgium.

July 20-25—Royal Sanitary Institute Congress—Edinburgh. Also Exhibition of Sanitary Appliances.

Aug. 4, 5, 6 and 7—Royal Dublin Society Horse Show. Ballsbridge.

Sept. 7-19—Building and Allied Trades Exhibition—Birmingham.

Sept. 15—International Trade Exhibition New Orleans.

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An attempt to solve the special traffic problems of a fishing port has been made by the Corporation of Great Yarmouth, which has embarked on an extensive programme of all-concrete road construction.

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BUILDING & RECONSTRUCTION

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REBUILDING HENRY STREET SECTION OF GENERAL POST OFFICE.

This photograph shows on the right the frontage of the first section of the new General Post Office in Henry street. The building has been constructed from the designs of Mr. T. J. Byrne, A.R.I.B.A., Principal Architect of the Commissioners of Public Works.

The general scheme provides for a line of shops on the ground floor, with the postal offices above. Four of these shop sites—Nos. 24, 25, 27 and 28—are already taken up.

A similar range of buildings will front Princes street, and an arcade of shops 20 feet wide will connect the two thoroughfares, while blocks of postal offices will occupy the central area. The arcade will enter from No. 26 Henry street.

The section of the new Post Office illustrated here is situated opposite Moore street, and on the site occupied in 1916 by the Coliseum Theatre.

The postal authorities acquired considerable ground adjoining their old premises with the object of ultimately bringing together under one roof all the departments of the services, which for many years have been scattered in various parts of the city.

The old wall in Henry street has been taken down, and the contract for rebuilding the front section in Sackville street has just been placed.

Further sections of the building will be taken in hand from time to time.

A number of the sites for the shops in Henry street have already been let, and tenders have been invited for leasing the shops in the arcade.

TO EXPEDITE REBUILDING IN DUBLIN.

ACT PASSED BY OIREACHTAS.

The last business transacted by the Senate before it adjourned until November 3rd was to pass the Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions Amendment) Bill, 1925, which, with the principal Act passed last year, will now be construed as one and cited together as the Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions) Acts, 1924 and 1925. The object is to enable the powers given to the Dublin Corporation to be exercised at an earlier date than provided for in the original Act.

Clause 2 provides that the time allowed for rebuilding under the principal Act, to those to whom compensation for destruction of premises has been awarded, shall be reduced by nine months, and the Minister may exercise the power he is given under Section 7 at any time after the expiration of three months from the passing of the Act.

Mr. Dowdall, in the Senate, suggested to the Minister for Local Government that reasonable notice of the change should be given to the persons concerned before any action was taken under this Act.

Mr. Burke, Minister for Local Government, said that he would consider the matter.

President Cosgrave in Dail Eireann said that the real object of the bill was to expedite the building of property destroyed in some cases in 1916. Certain infirmities in the Dublin Reconstruction (Emergency Provisions) Bill only recently came to notice. Compensation had been paid in cases where leases were held in respect of certain property, and what happened in the few cases was that the landlords got paid rent and rates in one amount. Under the Local Government Act it was intended to give the benefit of the lower rate to the tenant in occupation, and in the amending bill provision has been made for the tenant to get the advantage which in the ordinary way would have accrued to the landlord. It was only fair to make the position of the tenant secure.

NEW WATER FILTRATION POLICY.

At the 14th annual conference of the British Waterworks Association in the Guildhall, London, Alderman C. G. Musgrave was unanimously elected president, in succession to Alderman W. Carter Fenton.

Sir Alexander Houston, Director of Water Examination, Metropolitan Water Board, read a paper dealing with "The Purification of London's Water Supply." The old London water companies relied for purification purposes on sand filtration at the exceedingly slow rate of rather less than two gallons per square foot per hour, and there could be no question that the methods adopted in those days formed a pattern to the whole world.

The filtration policy of the Board was now being modified in the light of present knowledge. The outcome at some of the works was likely to be very rapid filtration, without coagulants, through primary filters (say, at the rate of 100-200 gallons per square foot per hour), and final filtration through slow sand filters worked possibly at two, three or more times the normal rate. In addition, chlorination would be carried out—at all events until the safety of the new departures from old-established procedure had been proven up to the hilt. A battery of rapid filters had been installed at Barn Elms for some time past, and the results obtained had been of an encouraging nature. Works of a much more ambitious character were in course of erection at Walton and Kempton Park.

LADY LECTURER IN COMMERCE.

The Council of the University of Liverpool has appointed Miss Margaret S. Miller, M.A., B.Com., Ph.D., to a Junior Lectureship in Commerce.

Miss Miller received her undergraduate training at the University of Edinburgh, receiving there the degrees of B.Com. and M.A. She was awarded the highest distinction of the University in Economics—the Vans Dunlop Scholarship. Subsequently she entered the London School of Economics as a research student, and secured the degree of Ph.D. Her thesis is shortly to be published. Since October, 1924, Miss Miller has been Rockefeller Research Assistant in Agricultural Economics to the Marketing Commissioner at the Ministry of Agriculture.

FEAT OF ENGINEERING.

The electrification of the line through Penge tunnel was a remarkable engineering feat. The current is fed to the third rail by cables, and these in turn draw their supplies from sub-stations every few miles. As a sub-station could not be constructed in the tunnel, it was decided to sink a shaft from the sub-station of the Crystal Palace branch on the top. The shaft was sunk 6ft. in diameter and 130ft. deep, the work being complicated by the fact that the tunnel was in use by steam trains all the time. When after six weeks of working the bottom of the shaft was reached, it was found that there was barely a quarter of an inch variation from the spot intended to strike.

ITEMS.

£1,500 has been subscribed towards the erection of a new Orange hall in Bushmills.

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A new floor is to be put into the Newry Town Hall, at a cost of £600, by a London firm of contractors.

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Thurles Urban Council has decided to get a special report from a Dublin engineer in connection with the waterworks.

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Mr. Bowen, County Surveyor, has been authorised by Kilkenny County Council to proceed with the reconstruction of the bridge at Callan.

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Offaly County Council has closed the public road from Rahan to Clara and Ballycumber from 14th July to 14th September, to allow of remaking the road.

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Belfast Education Authority propose to spend £29,000 on erecting a school in Crumlin road, £27,000 on another in Ormeau Park, £18,000 in extension at Rosetta, and £5,500 in other extensions.

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At the first meeting of the new Ballinasloe Urban District Council Mr. Stephen O'Connor, the Chairman, said the first item on their programme would be a new sewerage system, for which the town was in a desperate way.

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Leitrim County Council accepted the tender of Mr. M. Loughlin at £290 for repairs of Mullinaleck and Bradogue Bridges, at the boundary of Leitrim and Donegal; and that of Mr. M. Reynolds at £86, for repairs to Glenade Bridge.

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The tender of Mr. Patrick Dooley, Eyre street, Galway, for repairs and alterations at the Central Hospital, Galway, at £1,725, was accepted. The only other tender submitted for the work was from Mr. Walter O'Flaherty, Market street, at £1,829.

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The Commissioner for Offaly County Council has favourably commended to the Ministry of Local Government the offer of Messrs. Alesbury Bros., Edenderry, to take over the Edenderry Workhouse, and carry out alterations which will provide accommodation for thirty or forty families.

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Kilkenny County Council has under consideration the rebuilding of destroyed courthouses at Callan and Thomastown. Wexford County Council has a similar proposal for rebuilding Wexford Courthouse, and Athy Urban Council urges the rebuilding of the courthouse and barracks.

STEEL TRADE DEPRESSION.

Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, said the most difficult thing Britain had to face was unemployment, and the only way that could be cured was by work in the ordinary trades of the country, not palliatives and artificial kinds of work. Their iron and steel manufactures were down to what they were in 1913, although the population was greater, and they were importing a quarter more iron and steel than before the war. The number of blast furnaces in operation had seriously diminished. The price of steel had gone up by 30 p.c. and coal 80 p.c. The cause of this was that the wages of iron and steel men were, in France £1 13s. 11d. per week, in Belgium £1 16s. 6d., in Germany £2 1s. 9d., and in England £3 3s. 7d. Besides that, those men abroad worked longer hours.

"You have got three positions before you," he proceeded to say. "The first is to turn your trade unions into Belgium or France, and get their rates of wages up to your own. You will find it a difficult thing doing that, for the trades unionists in those countries would not help, because they want to keep our markets. The second course is to reduce the rates of wages here. You do not want that, and I do not want that, for I believe not in low, but in high, wages. The third alternative—and I know of no other—is the one I have indicated to you, which will put this difficulty straight and restore prosperity to our land."

AIRCRAFT PADDLEWHEELS.

A new system of propulsion for aircraft is being tested by the Ford aeronautical interests at Detriot. The idea consists of self-feathering paddle-weel type ir screws, with four variable thrusts. They are the result of fourten years' experiments by Mr J. A. Horne, of Colorado, engineer.

Units of two or more pairs of revolving blades are geared to a single engine and are operated fore and aft in the direction of the line of flight, similar to steamship paddle-wheels: thus the horizontal shaft driving the blades runs at right angles to the fuselage. A change in the direction of thrust while the propellers are running is obtained through a separate gear control through the centre of the cross-arms attaching the blades to the horizontal shaft. It is said that the thrust can be altered to drive the aircraft forwards, backwards, upwards, or downwards.

An electrically operated model has been inspected by senior officers of the United States Army and Navy Air Services and also by the Stout Airplane Company's expert mechanics, who were favourably impressed.

GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS PLACED.

BY COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The following contracts were entered into by the Commissioners of Public Works during the month of June:—

McKee Barracks, Dublin — Adaptation Works. C. Jones and Sons, Ltd., St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.

Ballina ex-R.I.C. Barracks—Reconstruction. Charles O'Malley, The Mall, Westport.

Eglinton street (Galway) Garda Siochana Station—Restoration. P. Dooley, 1 Eyre street, Galway.

Maam ex-R.I.C. Barracks, Co. Galway—Restoration. P. Burke, Ballinderreen, Kilcolgan, Co. Galway.

Derreendarragh National School, Co. Kerry—Restoration of School. J. J. O'Sullivan, Lettermoniel, Tahilla, Kenmare.

Drishaghaun National School, Co. Galway—Erection and furnishing. M. Bermingham, Ardnagall, Milltown, Tuam.

Dublin G.P.O.—Reconstruction of front block. A. Hull and Co., Pembroke Works, Ringsend.

Governor-General's Residence—Provision of a high tension main. The City Electrical Engineer, Dublin.

Governor-General's Residence — Altering and extending electric lighting system. Brooks, Thomas and Co., Ltd., Sackville place, Dublin.

Howth Harbour Coastguard Station—Excavating parade ground and forming new macadam surface. Wm. Lacy and Sons, Howth.

Department of Defence—Supply of 195 church benches. Hearne and Co., Ltd., Waterford.

Dublin Castle Stores—Supply of 50 washstands and 50 dressing tables. Arnott and Co., Henry street, Dublin.

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NEW LAMBETH BRIDGE.

London County Council is to proceed with the construction of the new Lambeth Bridge, and the execution of the improvements at the Lambeth approach, for which powers have been obtained. The estimated cost of the works is £668,000. The powers obtained in the Act of last year were for the construction of a steel arch bridge 60 ft. wide, with a carriageway 35 ft. wide and two footways each 12 ft. in width. In addition, powers were obtained for the diversion of the western end of Lambeth road, the widening of a short length of that road, and the widening of Albert embankment and Lambeth Palace road, with a consequential alterations to the tramways on those roads. It is proposed that the bridge shall be one of five steel arches faced with granite and supported with granite piers, the arches being elliptical in outline, the centre one having a span of about 152 ft. and the two adjoining ones spans of about 146 ft.; that the headway of the central arch above high water shall be 21 feet, and the gradients on the bridge and approaches about 1 in 30. The whole line of the bridge will be one uninterrupted curve and the parapet will be solid.

BUILDING SOCIETIES.

Striking figures as to the progress of the building society movement throughout the country were given at the annual conference of the Building Societies' Association at Hastings. Before the war the assets of the building societies of England and Wales were about £65,000,000. The figures for 1924 were £142,000,000. The total amount of money the societies now have invested in mortgages is £118,822,681, as against about £96,000,000 at the end of 1923. The total membership of the building societies throughout the country was about 1,000,000, while additionally there were about half a million non-member depositors. Last year about 150,000 people began to purchase their homes through building societies, and assuming that each house was to accommodate four persons, it follows that the money loaned during 1924 by the building societies provided housing accommodation for about 600,000 people, no inconsiderable contribution towards the solution of the housing question. It has been estimated that since the beginning of the movement about 2,000 houses have been either built or purchased through the aid of building societies.

£200,000 TOWN HALL.

The British Trade Commissioner at Johannesburg has sent home a report from the clerk to the Municipal Council of Pretoria concerning the erection of a new Town Hall in that city. It is stated in the minutes that competitive designs will be invited at a cost (first estimate) of about £200,000. Firms interested in this announcement can consult the minutes referred to on application to the Department of Overseas Trade, 35 Old Queen street, London, S.W.1.

ENGINEERS AND MODERN ROAD MAKING.

GROWING USE OF CONCRETE.

The great problem for road engineers and public bodies to-day is that of determining what form of road construction will best meet the demands created by modern conditions, which the vastly increased weight, speed and number of steam or petrol lorries, chars-a-banc and motor-'buses have brought about, and the much greater increase which is to be expected in the near future.

The Americans' first concrete road was laid in 1893, but by 1909 only six miles had been laid. By the end of 1919 there were 11,400 miles, and by the end of 1924 there were something like 32,000 miles. In the United States over 90 per cent. of all new roads are constructed of concrete, and the annual programme is over 8,000 miles.

That concrete roads are not the novelty which is often supposed is shown by the fact that about 1873 two were laid in Edinburgh, and are still in fairly good condition. They consisted of a base of broken stone, rolled, with an upper coat of 1½-inch whinstone grouted with 1½ parts sea gravel and 1 part Portland cement well beaten down. The City Road Surveyor stated in 1920 that the maintenance cost for one of these roads had been but £40 since the road was laid. So that, although this was a very rudimentary kind of concrete road, it demonstrates the value of cement in road-making.

It is interesting to note that the method adopted 52 years ago in Edinburgh has been revived. Two roads at the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley were laid on very much the same principle, the chief difference being that the rapid hardening cement was used.

The first concrete road, as we understand it to-day, was laid in Chester in 1912, under the supervision of Mr. Matthews Jones, the then City Surveyor. This was followed by two more in 1914. The new City Surveyor reported, eight years later, that the maintenance cost up to date for these roads had only been that of tar-spraying.

Largely owing to the War progress up to 1919 was slow. Since that time, however, the concrete road has been making rapid headway. At the end of 1919 there were 25 concrete roads in the United Kingdom. At the end of 1922 there were 227, and to-day there are round about 600.

The Borough of Southwark determined to give concrete roads a fair trial, and in 1919 laid six, and has continued to lay concrete roads year by year ever since, and now has 90 stretches, amounting to about ten miles, of such roads in the Borough, with a further programme in view.

Tilbury started with a short section in 1910, and at the end of 1924 had about 15 miles, representing over 100 roads and streets.

These were followed by other concrete roads in various parts of the country. Manchester, for example, has 69 concrete roads with a mileage of 17; Liverpool has six miles, Middlesbrough has 25 roads with a mileage of seven, and at the end of 1925 the Surrey County Council, whose Surveyor, Mr. Robinson, has been laying concrete roads for some years, will have something like 25 miles.

These are only a few instances, but they are sufficient to show that Public Authorities and Road Engineers have come to realise that the concrete road meets all requirements and is suitable for all kinds of traffic.

These figures refer to public roads only, and it is significant that those who once lay concrete roads invariably lay more.

CONSTRUCTION OF STEEL HOUSES.

INQUIRY COMMITTEE'S DECISION.

The District Committee of the Middle Ward of the County of Lanark on May 29 appointed a Committee "to inquire in detail into the methods and labour employed in connection with the production and erection of the "Weir" steel houses, with a view to enabling a decision to be come to as to whether the contract set by the District Committee to Messrs. G. and J. Weir, Limited, for the supply of 100 houses was being observed by Messrs. Weir."

The Committee of Inquiry have now completed their investigations and presented their report. It states that they visited Messrs. Weir's housing factory at Cardonald on June 3, and there met Lord Weir and other representatives of the firm. Lord Weir described in detail the processes and class of labour employed in the production of the "Weir" houses, and the Committee afterwards witnessed the operations, which they describe in their report. At the Harthill one on June 11 they saw the laying of foundations, erection of wall sections, and the fixing of roof couples. The Committee claim that their investigations have covered the whole processes employed—the materials used and how these are supplied; the class of labour employed; the rates of wages paid, the hours worked, and the conditions of labour generally. Summing up their investigations, the Committee state that they have ascertained the following facts:—

(1) That all the materials used in the houses are purchased by Messrs. Weir in a fully manufactured state. No question of trade union conditions, accordingly, enters into this section of the work.

(2) The operations in the housing factory consist of preparing the various sections of the houses for their ultimate use—putting together the various wall, roof, floor, and partition sections, screwing or nailing them up, bending pipes, attaching couplings, fixing electric wire to frames, staining the wood, etc. No building craftsmen are employed.

(3) The operations on the site consist of digging and laying foundations, assembling the units referred to in Number 2, fixing roof plates, putting on doors, glazing windows, fixing in baths, washhand basins, grates, etc., painting.

Having considered the whole facts and personally witnessed the various operations, the Committee have reached the following conclusions:—

(1) We are of opinion that the process of assembling and erecting the "Weir" type of house is of a special character, and does not involve the employment of building craftsmen.

(2) We do not consider that the proposition of the Federation of Building Trades Operatives that the "Weir" type of house is building work, in the sense and to the extent contended by them, is tenable.

(3) We are of opinion that the arrangements made by Messrs. Weir for the application of the ordinary engineering trade rates of wages and conditions to the workmen employed on the "Weir" are not unreasonable.

(4) We are, accordingly, of the opinion that, as at present advised, the District Committee are not in a position to say that there has been any breach of contract on the part of Messrs. Weir.

In a footnote, the Committee state:—"There may be certain portions of the work which are executed in the same way as like work is carried out by the building trades—*e.g.*, glazing of windows—but the extent of such work is so trifling that this does not affect our opinion on the general question. We desire to add that our conclusions are based solely upon the investigations which we have made for the purpose of determining whether Messrs. Weir were giving true effect to the conditions of their contract. All other questions, to our mind, are beside this one issue which the District Committee have been called upon to determine. We have, accordingly, excluded from our consideration all questions of the aims and considerations which may have prompted Messrs. Weir to launch their scheme, and also any special arrangements which may have been set up by the building industry within itself dealing with rates of wages, labour, etc.

UNION OF ARCHITECTS.

The final stage of the amalgamation of the Royal Institute of British Architects and the Society of Architects has been successfully completed. The resolutions authorising the winding-up of the Society of Architects and the transfer of its surplus property to the R.I.B.A. have been confirmed, and the process of voluntary liquidation begun. As the amalgamation has now been accomplished, and the members of the Society transferred to the R.I.B.A., it is proposed to celebrate the occasion by entertaining the members of both bodies and their friends at a reception which will probably be held in the R.I.B.A. Galleries in the early autumn. Considering the importance to the profession of the union of the two bodies, this reception will be an unusually interesting function.

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BELFAST READERS.

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Dublin, 13th July, 1925.
The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland give Notice:—
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Olympia Theatre—"The Girl from Rathmines," 7 and 9 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
La Scala—"The Confidence Man," 3-10.30 p.m.
The Grafton—"Luck."
Metropole—"The Silent Watcher."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Siren of Seville," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
The Sackville Picture House—"Fools of Fortune."
The Studio 13a Merrion row—Pictures of Beautiful Ireland, by Paul Henry.
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, 12 noon.
Dublin Port and Docks Board, 1 p.m.
Poor Law Commission, 11 a.m.
Dublin Circuit Court, 11 a.m.

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NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

The United States flagship Pittsburg is to visit Kingstown this month.—(Page 7.)

After a lapse of some years Clonakilty Agricultural Show was revived yesterday, and was very successful both as regards entries and the attendance of the public.—(Page 3.)

The establishment of a State Medical Service for rural areas was suggested yesterday at the sitting of the Free State Poor Law Commission.—(Page 7.)

Our Belfast Correspondent suggests that there may be another election for members of the Northern Senate.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The coal crisis in Great Britain is acute, but hopes are expressed that a way out may be found.—(Page 7.)

The House of Commons last night completed the Committee stage of the Contributory Pensions Bill.—(Page 6.)

The Marquis of Salisbury, in the House of Lords last night, announced that the Government was willing to hear recommendations from a joint committee in regard to the payment of compensation to Southern Irish loyalists for damages sustained through post-Truce malicious injuries.—(Page 7.)

ABROAD.

Mr. Bryan, the counsel for the prosecution in the Dayton trial, is attacked by a New York paper.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At the Maze yesterday Grecian Wave won the Maze Steeplechase, Horatius the Dromore Plate, Ceylonese the Lagan Plate, Shining Jug the Abercorn Cup, Derryboy II. the Welter Plate and Blancona the Stormount Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Newmarket Field Argent and Blanchisseuse dead heated in the July Handicap.—(Page 10.)

At Bath Pass the Mint won the Bath July Handicap.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

London Stock Markets were dullish. There was a distinct slowing down in the pace of Rubber Shares, but the price of the raw material was firm and higher.—(Page 11.)

Conditions in Lombard street were almost unchanged, and overnight loans were made at 3¾ per cent. down to 3½ per cent. late in the day. Discount rates were weak.—(Page 11.)

In Dublin the Stock Market was quiet and irregular, with prices slightly lower.—(Page 11.)

Unwanted Children.

As men and women advance in years, they realise with growing conviction how much they owe to early home influences. They recall little family jests and small, daily acts of love—marks of tender consideration that never were met again in the harsh world. Unconsciously, in the far-off days of youth, they learnt from the austere example of their elders moral lessons which never have been forgotten. The good and happy home moulded the growing character in all that is most valued at the end of life. Year by year, however, children enter the world who never may enjoy home life made beautiful by a parent's affection. Till they die, what to others is the most precious of memories never may be theirs. Considered thus, the sadness of the fate of those who are so piteously called "unwanted children" is borne in upon the more fortunate. Year by year the State is laden with responsibility for infants whom no family accepts. Wanton or unfortunate parents bring these young lives into being, but the community must foster them. Christian charity dictates that the unhappy little ones shall receive as large a share as possible of the benefits which, through no fault of their own, never can be fully theirs; but this also is demanded by the community's self-interest. The "unwanted child"—commonly with a tainted ancestry—may become the community's enemy if it is denied an environment in youth such as will strengthen its character and give it the opportunity of a respectable career. Homeless and kinless, the orphan cannot but find the battle of life unduly hard, and the problem for the State is to supply, so far as may be possible, the moral and practical training which will save the unlucky boy or girl from the temptation to lapse into criminal paths. The Irish Free State Poor Law Commission, now sitting, has this problem before it, and the evidence already heard shows how far from satisfactory are the present operations of the law.

During the past two days evidence has been given by experienced women on the "boarding out" system. Mrs. Byrne, a former member of the Dublin Board of Guardians, declared that a nefarious trade in "unwanted children" was practised in Dublin. Unscrupulous persons accept lump sums for the adoption of infants. It is to their interest that the infants shall not live, and a large proportion of the children dies. That this is true—that evils are rampant in the Irish underworld which call for the pen of a Dickens for their adequate exposure—is known to all persons conversant with the facts. The remedy lies in a stricter supervision by the law of the boarding-out of infants. Miss FitzGerald-Kenney, in her evidence, recommended that one department should take over the entire charge of State children, and of "necessitous infants under all heads and all Acts." Maternity homes would be licensed and supervised, and children, watched over during fosterage by adopted parents, would be kept on the State register up to the age of eighteen. Miss FitzGerald-Kenney laid stress on the fact, which should be realised more widely, that children boarded out have a better chance in life than those reared in institutions. Mentally defective, maimed or vicious children always must remain the proper care of hospitals and reformatories, but others, adopted by decent families, may enjoy advantages that a barrack-like life canot yield. Often childless people will lavish on the orphan a devotion not far removed from a parent's. Often the child's gratitude will bind closer bonds and gladden the old age of the fosterer. By this system—where properly regulated and conducted in a Christian spirit—something may be granted to the orphan of what the children of respectable families enjoy as a birthright. A man or woman may grow up who can look back until journey's end to a house that was home, indeed, to elders who loved and were loved, and to days of self-respecting work and play during which the handicap of an unhappy origin was forgotten.

The Export of Brains.

There are at the various colleges and universities in Ireland more than five thousand students—a number which represents one *per* thousand of the population. As the average undergraduate life is of four years' duration, between a thousand and fifteen hundred Irishmen and women graduate every year, and, since these may fairly be taken collectively as the flower of the country's intellect, it is of general interest to consider what the future has in store for them. In the first place, what will they be qualified to do? The three main professions will be well represented. Of those who go to the Church or the law most, undoubtedly, will stay at home. It is true that a considerable number go to England in the hope of finding greater and speedier advancement, but there are in Ireland quite satisfactory openings. Unfortunately, these two professions scarcely account for 250 between them; medicine by itself accounts for a far greater number. How many Irish doctors practise in their native country? Probably four-fifths of them are forced to go abroad or to the Colonies—and this at a time when England is bewailing the fact that her medical schools are too full. Irish engineers are to be found in London, irrigating the valley of the Indus, exploring the line for the Perth-Adelaide Railway, surveying the upper regions of the Nile, or anywhere except in Ireland.

Graduates in arts turn mainly to teaching, journalism or one or other of the Civil Services; and in all three cases the majority leave the country. Despite the fact that teachers are at the moment something of a drug in the market, Irishmen can and do obtain posts in English schools. Many of the most brilliant journalists of to-day are Irishmen, carrying on an old tradition. The Indian Civil Service always has been well stocked with Irishmen, as, indeed, are most of the Colonies; there are, for example, more than fifty Trinity College men in or around British East Africa. Summing up, we find that Ireland is being drained annually of over five hundred men and women who have had a university training and are of the very type that should be the leaders of the next generation. More is learned by example than by precept, and, if Ireland is to become once again a home of culture, her leaders must be worthy of imitation. How far, then, can this annual exodus be stopped? It cannot be stopped completely, but much can, and ought to be, done. More use could be made of Irish engineers, and it is to be hoped that this will be the case when the general condition of industry improves. Again, is it too much to ask that room be made in Irish schools for native-born and native-trained teachers? What opening is there in our Irish Civil Services for a man with a good Honours degree? Surely more of such openings ought to be made? The most lamentable fact of all is that there is almost no demand for graduates in the Irish business world. America can teach Ireland a lesson in this direction; there it is not a question of the university's approaching business, but of business approaching the university. Every year the dozen or so leading graduates are sought out and are offered positions by big firms. There is little sentiment in American business; and if American firms find that such a course pays them, their example may be followed profitably by the leading business houses in Ireland.

The French Budget.

M. Caillaux has not been slow to justify the French nation's faith in his financial genius. He has contrived to balance the Budget for the present year, and already he has tabled a skeleton draft of the Budget for 1926. Events may disturb the estimates for 1925, and the anticipated surplus of less than fourteen million francs is small; but the balancing of the Budget, even on paper, is a considerable achievement. The French taxpayer's burden is not really heavy; for its total, in terms of sterling, is about £332,000,000, or less than half the total of the British Budget. Apparently the French Budget includes all expenditure, including the estimated cost of the Moroccan campaign. It has been balanced, not by economy, but by increased taxation, and expenditure is even higher than in 1924. Next year, in the continued absence of economies, the taxpayer must be prepared to carry a larger burden. M. Caillaux is bent upon the full rehabilitation of national finance, and the Budget of 1926 will cover the service of the Government debts which are owed by France. With this Budget M. Caillaux intends to produce surplus revenue amounting to about £10,000,000, and so to create a basis for funding operations. The Budget of 1925 was prepared in such haphazard fashion that the precise effect of the new taxes is obscure; but it is expected that next year will see great reforms and simplifications in the system of taxation. Fortunately, the Government's political position is fairly strong. M. Painlevé and M. Caillaux are no longer dependent on the *Cartel des Gauches*—the present Budget was carried in the teeth of Socialist opposition—and they have good prospects of solid support from the forces of the Right. Much will depend on the success of the new conversion loan and on the result of M. Caillaux's negotiations for a settlement of the war debts to Great Britain and the United States. Morocco is an uncertain factor, but Marshal Lyautey, while admitting that the situation there had been a cause of grave anxiety, now declares that "the worst is over."

Criminal Appeals.

Yesterday the Supreme Court of the Free State decided that it had no jurisdiction to review the judgment of the Court of Criminal Appeal in the case of James Murray, who had been sentenced to death on an indictment for murder. We venture to think that the decision—apart from the particular case in which it has been pronounced—will meet with general approval; for the result of any other decision undoubtedly would have been that the time of the Judges of the Supreme Court would be occupied largely in future with the re-hearing of criminal cases in which the verdicts of juries had been confirmed by the Court of Criminal Appeal. Such an innovation would savour of the methods of American State courts, where criminal cases, by the use or abuse of this procedure, may be extended almost interminably, if sufficient funds are forthcoming for the defence. Here we are accustomed to regard the solemn verdict and sentence pronounced in a capital case, at the conclusion of a long public trial, as a profound expression of the righteous opinion and sense of duty of the community at large. Its moral force and effect are felt to be one of the greatest attributes possessed by the State for the well-being and security of the subject. Such wholesome influences might be lost or diminished if verdicts of juries were to be brought from one court to another for review. A Court of Criminal Appeal can afford the amplest safeguards against any error or miscarriage of justice in the course of a criminal trial. Its efficiency depends, however, on its equipment with adequate powers to deliver prompt justice in accordance with sound law and reason. In England the Court of Criminal Appeal discharges its heavier duties with wider discretionary powers and more speedily than the Court of the Free State. Why should there be any difference in these respects? If none existed, we cannot imagine that the Murray case would have been under the consideration of the Irish Courts for eleven days. The promised reforms of our legal system ought to remove such anomalies.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS

THE SPOUSE AS WITNESS.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.
WESTMINSTER, Wednesday.

The Commons are still ploughing their way through the mass of amendments to the Contributory Pensions Bill. The end is in sight, and a short respite is promised until the battle is fought over again on the report and third reading stages. When the House adjourned last night Clause 24 had been disposed of, and this evening a start was made with an amendment by Mr. Hayday to Clause 25, seeking to limit the Minister's right to refuse a widow's or an orphan's allowance in cases where a fatal accident had occurred to an insured person between January, 1924, and the commencement of the Act in 1926. Mr. Hayday said that if it was intended to exclude from benefit those who had undeniable moral rights, the bill was nothing more than a piece of incomplete and patchwork legislation.

The amendment was supported by Sir H. Slesser, and Sir Kingsley Wood went so far as to recognise the justice of the arguments in its favour, and to promise to amend the clause by providing that any difference between the weekly amount of compensation and the allowance payable under the bill should be made good. Although Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and other Labour members considered that the Government have not carried the concession far enough, Mr. Neville Chamberlain refused to improve on the offer made by the Parliamentary Secretary, and the amendment, on a division, was rejected by 242 votes to 141.

HUSBANDS AND WIVES.

Miss Wilkinson moved to oust the clause which provides that in a prosecution for fraud on the Insurance Fund the spouse of the accused person might be compelled to give evidence without the assent of the accused. The amendment was rejected by 248 votes to 128, but immediately a number of Conservative members pressed the Government to take out the words which compelled the spouse to give evidence in such cases. Sir R. Newman moved the amendment and Mr. Storry Deans supported it, the last-named asserting that from his experience of the Courts, husbands and wives living in amity were prepared to lie up to the hilt to support each other. When they did not live in amity, the spouse might be prepared to do much the same thing in order to get rid of a disagreeable partner, and the clause left the way open to a great deal of blackmail.

Sir Kingsley Wood, in opposing the amendment, said that he did not believe that any of these evils would follow. Miss Wilkinson—Does the hon. gentleman mean by that that a lie is not a lie if not found out? Sir Kingsley Wood declared that he meant nothing of the kind; but the amendment, if carried, would render the whole clause nugatory. Mr. Gerald Hurst said that to compel a husband or a wife to give evidence was going directly against the principle of common law, whilst Mr. Dennis Herbert declared that, for the first time in the history of the present Parliament, he would vote against the Government unless they modified their attitude, and he appealed to all good Conservatives to do the same. At this, Mr. Neville Chamberlain said that he would undertake to consider the matter before the report stage. On this understanding the amendment was withdrawn.

The remaining clauses having been added to the Bill, Mr. Chamberlain moved a new clause permitting existing superannuation schemes to be so modified as to reduce both the contribution and the benefits, and thereby prevent over-insurance. The new clause was passed.

LABOUR'S BIG MAJORITY.

RESULT OF FOREST OF DEAN BY-ELECTION.

Mr. A. M. Purcell (Labour)	11,629
Mr. M. W. Beaumont (Conservative)	8,607
Mr. H. West (Liberal)	3,774
Labour Majority	3,022

The above was the result of the Forest of Dean by-election, which was announced yesterday, and surprise was expressed at the extent of Mr. Purcell's majority. The Conservatives were frankly disappointed that Mr. Beaumont did not reduce the Labour majority to an inconsiderable figure.

"Upon our record yesterday," Mr. Purcell said, "I hoped for an outside majority of two thousand. I think I won because of the natural strength which the Labour Party's programme possesses in the country at the present time, and also because I managed to drive home to the electorate the unfairness of the present proposals relating to unemployment and to widows' pensions."

THE PRINCE OF WALES'S TOUR.

LATEST ARRANGEMENTS.

Reuter's Agency is informed that, according to the latest arrangements, the Prince of Wales will leave Cape Town on Wednesday, July 29th, and after spending two days at St. Helena, will reach Monte Video on August 14th. Three days later he is due to arrive at Buenos Aires, and will remain in the Argentine for three weeks, leaving that country for Chile on September 6th. He will return to Buenos Aires some ten days later, and will sail from Monte Video on September 20th, being due to arrive in Portsmouth on October 7th.

AT THE CROSS-ROADS.

THE DUKE OF SUTHERLAND AND WOMEN VOTERS.

The Duke of Sutherland, addressing a Conservative women's meeting at Elstree yesterday, said that it was women to-day who very largely determined the fate of Governments and the results of general elections. It was to women that they looked at the next election to hold the fort of Conservative common sense against the evil and subversive doctrines of Socialism and Bolshevism. Women were at the cross-roads to-day. Would they lead their country downhill into the stagnant ditch of Socialism and Communism, or upwards to a great Imperial future?

Reuter's agency is informed that, according to a statement of the Hungarian Ministry of Agriculture, the crops in Hungary this year are expected to approach the best average of pre-war years.

COURT AND PERSONAL.

Yesterday the Duchess of York visited the British Empire Exhibition and opened the Conference of Women in connection with Science, Industry and Commerce. The Duke of York will be accompanied by the Duchess when he visits the Shepherd's Bush Pavilion next Monday, to see the film of the Empire tour of the Special Service Squadron, which is being exhibited in aid of Earl Haig's fund for ex-Service men.

Yesterday Princess Beatrice attended the Council meeting of Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institute for Nurses, and presented the long-service badges to a number of the Queen's Nurses. On Tuesday evening the Princess dined with the Earl and Countess of Malmesbury in Bruton street, where their guests included the Duke of Argyll, Viscount and Viscountess Ullswater, and Lord and Lady Carson.

The Queen of the Belgians is expected to arrive to-morrow in London on a private visit, and will make only a short stay. Queen Marie of Rumania is staying with her sister, the Infanta Beatrice, at Esher, but is often in London, where she has fulfilled many engagements since her arrival.

To-day Comte and Comtesse André de Limur will take up their residence at Englemere, Countess Roberts's house near Ascot, which they have taken for two months.

The Hon. Charlotte Knollys has arrived in London from Sandringham and is spending a few days at Marlborough House. Since her early girlhood Miss Knollys has been a member of Queen Alexandra's personal suite and is one of her closest friends. On the various visits which Her Majesty paid to Ireland Miss Knollys was always in attendance, and she will be well remembered in Dublin.

Princess Louise Duchess of Argyll, Katharine Duchess of Westminster, the Dowager Duchess of Argyll, the Marchioness of Lansdowne, the Dowager Countess of Antrim, the Countess of Bandon, the Countess of Desart, Viscountess Gough, Lady Mary Doyne, Lady Fitzgerald, the Hon. Mrs. Skeffington-Smyth and the Hon. Mrs. Gretton were among the audience at the concert in aid of the Southern Irish Loyalists' Relief Association, which was given at Lady Violet Astor's house in Carlton House Terrace, London.

Prince Frederick Duleep Singh has arrived at Evian-les-Bains for the cure, and will remain for four weeks. The Earl of Bradford has left London for Norway, but his daughter, Lady Diana Bridgeman, who has contracted measles, was unable to accompany him. Lady Louis Mountbatten has left London for a short stay in Paris. Lord Forres has left for a three weeks' visit to Aix-les-Bains.

Dr. John F. Cunningham has returned to 14 Lower Fitzwilliam street.

Dr. T. O. Graham has left 61 Fitzwilliam square for three weeks.

Mrs. Verna Brown has removed from Connaught place, Clonskea, to 1 Pembroke Park. 'Phone—Ballsbridge 528.

For £3 19s. 6d. Switzers are selling the most attractive little White Silk Tennis Dresses, and lovely White Cotton Dresses from 24s. 6d. These are only two of the many special sale values in Costume Gallery.

At Holmes' Sale—Cool Wash and Holiday Frocks, Tennis Frocks, Sports Frocks and House Frocks—wonderfully reduced.—69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Tailor-made Costumes at moderate prices. Latest styles. Try F. C. Bryson, 3 Church lane, off College Green.

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Arrivals—Mr. and Mrs. R. S. English, Mrs. B. Whyte, Miss Gordon, Miss R. A. Gordon, Miss F. Walker, Lady Browne, Mrs. T. Roche, Sir Ernest and Lady Swift, Colonel J. C. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Thomas, J. Wells, Frank Martin.

Departures—Rev. D. H. Gillman, Mrs. Loone, Nurse McCormack, Mrs. B. Hartwell, Miss Patricia Hartwell, Wisdom Hely, Rev. Fred Searight, Charles McConnell, Major W. Pakenham Walsh, Judge Cusack, J. W. Cusack, C. D. Cusack, Mrs. W. Hastings Hardy, Miss Patricia Hardy, Miss Florence Wynne, Dr. E. W. Wade, Dr. W. P. Fogarty, Dermott C. Cusack, Lady Woodhouse, Dr. W. H. and Mrs. Lowe.

Other Arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

McBirney and Co.'s Great Annual Summer Sale this and following days. Write for Price List.

Furniture Stored by Millar & Beatty, Ltd., in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland.

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Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr. Baggot st.

Special Show of Coloured Garments on Wednesday and Thursday. All one price, 39/6. Gowns, Wrap Coats, Costumes and Sports Suits. Genuine Bargains to clear. See windows.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

SUMMER TIME.

NO COMPROMISE ATTAINED.

The Unionist Party Parliamentary Agricultural Committee, at its meeting yesterday, voted in favour of the suggested compromise on the Summer Time Bill, whereby the period will be defined as from the third week of April to the first week in October. This decision, however, was by no means unanimous. The promoters of the bill, led by Colonel Lambert Ward, and its opponents have been in negotiation, apart from the Agricultural Committee, with a view to arriving at some such compromise, and while the English agriculturalists favour it the Scottish agriculturalists remain opposed to it. The result of the negotiations is that no general agreement has been reached, and the decision is left to be fought out on Friday on the floor of the House, to whose unfettered discretion it is left, the Government Whips not being put on for the division.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A ridge of high pressure still extends from the Azores to Scandinavia, but a slight secondary depression is moving North-East across the Northern part of the British Isles. The weather will remain rather unsettled in the North, but over most of England the weather will be fine and sunny, with a high temperature during the day; but there is a slight risk of thunder locally in the South.

Ireland, North-West.—Light to moderate south-westerly breezes; mainly fair, but a few local showers; visibility moderate to good; rather warm.

Ireland, North-East, South-East, and South-West.—Light to moderate west to south-west breezes; mainly fair; visibility good; moderate temperature.

South-West Seaboard, Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Winds variable, light or moderate; fair; visibility moderate to good, but mist locally; sea slight to moderate.

North-West Seaboard.—Wind westerly, light to moderate; cloudy; showers locally; visibility moderate; sea slight to moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

July.	Bar.	Thermometer.				Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
		Temp. 10 p.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.			
8	30.304	57.6	64	52	45	W.	0.2	1.9
9	30.136	57.6	63	52	47	S.W.	1.3	1.2
11	30.824	64.6	72	57	55	W.	—	10.6
12	30.238	62.1	69	58	54	W.	—	3.5
13	30.284	63.1	68	60	53	S.E.	0.2	1.5
14	30.104	65.6	73	52	49	W.	0.4	5.9
15	31.48	60.1	66	55	56	S.W.	2.4	0.7

SUN (NEW TIME).

To-day.... Rises	..	5.16	Sets	9.45
To-morrow.. „	..	5.17	„	9.44
Lighting-up Time				10.45

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.

To-day.... Morning	8.59	Afternoon	....	9.30
To-morrow.. „	10. 0	„	....	10.23

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

COMPULSION IN THE FREE STATE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The courageous protest in your leading article to-day against the foolish attempts which well-meaning patriots are making to metamorphose our beautiful Irish language into a detested bug-bear reminded me of the days (over fifteen years ago) when my true-blue Tory relatives tried every form of penalisation and bullying to deter me from studying Irish. I persevered and mastered the language in spite of them. Every step in my progress was a joy, and to-day I love the language as much as ever.

Yet my common-sense and love of All-Ireland compel me to endorse every word of your leader. I shall not elaborate your arguments, but wish to contribute one item of information for general readers. The National Programme of Primary Instruction (Part II., p. 17, footnote) reads: "In schools where Irish or English is dropped at the request of the majority of parents one additional subject must be taken, etc." So Irish may be "dropped" and the ultimate responsibility for the compulsion would appear to devolve upon the parents. The same principle can seemingly be applied also in secondary schools.

One far-reaching objection to this hectic forcing of the growth of bilingualism—in itself very desirable—is that it erects one more barrier in the path towards our goal of a united Ireland. Those who would rejoice to see a natural growth of the Irish language, freed from fetters, during the next few decades should unite to protect it from a feverish forcing which may destroy all healthy growth for ever. Has anyone suggested this compromise? Let all children between the ages of five and eight be taught Irish conversation, songs and games—to little children this would be no burden—and subsequently leave them freedom of choice. In this way an easy start would have been given to all who voluntarily would continue the study of the grammar and literature of Irish.—Yours, etc.,

"LINGUIST."

Dublin, July 15th, 1925.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I read your article with pleasure, and I may say that not alone are visitors puzzled by the new names of places and streets in Ireland, but the inhabitants themselves get quite confused as to where a street with a new name is situated. The Irish language itself will only be treasured as a memory of the past. Already people are finding out that, when God cursed the people at the Tower of Babel, His curse took the form of inflicting upon them a number of languages so that they could not understand one another. Now that we have one language that can be broadcast all over the world, and understood more or less by all nations, it would, in my opinion, be the height of folly to inflict on our fellow-countrymen a loss of their present hold on the English language, depriving them from intercourse with the rest of the world. If it is the wish of the Free State to spread the Irish language, it ought to be easy to broadcast it. In some parts of the world the English language is taught by "wireless."—Yours, etc.

"AN IRISHMAN."

Dublin, July 15th, 1925.

RISKS OF THE ROAD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—While motoring through the South of Ireland I had the following experiences:—

(1) Under no circumstances do motorists sound their hooters except when they want a visible coming obstruction out of their way. I say "visible" because it would appear to be beneath their dignity to make a noise when passing cross-roads, with high walls or hedges preventing another vehicle from being seen. On a steep mountain road, such as that from Glengariffe to Killarney, or the beautiful road from Cork to Macroom, both of which are full of sharp turns and "dangerous corners," no motorist that I met ever gave warning of his approach—all the more dangerous in that it is the custom to ride close to the off-side at right-hand bends. Even in towns (I mean South of Ireland towns, not cities) in turning into another street no audible warning is given.

(2) Professional drivers persistently occupy the crown of the road when approaching other motorists, and only go slightly aside when six yards from a collision. This is nerve-wracking to one accustomed to motoring in England, where the rule of the road is carefully observed and the observance enforced by very efficient police.

I have nothing but praise for the Civic Guards, who are courtesy itself when appealed to; but they are too courteous to "road hogs," who are without regard for the comfort and pleasure of others. One constantly sees offences committed which would involve fines of £5 at least for first offenders, with, perhaps, licences endorsed. If a Civic Guard were put on the road with a car for a few weeks, he would soon stop these dangerous and almost blackguardly practices.—Yours, etc.,

"MOTORIST."

Co. Kerry, July 14th, 1925.

THE LUCAN TRAMWAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Lucan has been a victim of circumstances for nearly a century. In the year 1838 a Royal Commission recommended that the then projected railway should run from Dublin through Chapelizod, Palmerstown, Lucan, Celbridge, etc., but the recommendation was not adopted and the railways, as run, are of no practical value to the districts named. In 1883 the Lucan people subscribed £30,000 capital for a steam tramway system for passenger service. In 1900, owing to the development of the district, this steam tramway system was converted into an electric light railway system. The necessary capital £35,330 was again subscribed locally.

During the troublous times of 1916 this company, alone of all the tramway and railway systems coming into Dublin, carried on a continuous service. When the British Government took control of all the Irish railways this company was not at first included, and it was solely due to its persistency that it was eventually taken over and enabled to continue the service. During this period the Lucan Company prepared a scheme for the complete harnessing of the River Liffey, in order to secure a cheap source of power, but, owing to the war conditions it was not allowed to proceed with the scheme. This was another great disappointment to the Lucan district.

Is the Lucan district now to receive its *coup de grâce* owing to the unwillingness of the City Commissioners to accept the grave responsibility of exchanging a valueless option for an income of £70,000 *per annum* for forty-two years?—Yours, etc.,

"RAILWAYMAN."

Lucan, Co. Dublin, July 15th, 1925.

OBITUARY.

THE REV. ROBERT MORRISON.

The death has taken place of the Rev. Robert Morrison, Carndonagh, after a brief illness. Mr. Morrison was born at Moneyderg, near Garvagh, County Londonderry, sixty-six years ago, and was one of the ablest ministers in the Londonderry Presbytery. He was educated at Coleraine, Queen's College, Cork, and Edinburgh University, and took his divinity course in the Assembly College, Belfast. He was appointed to Carndonagh in 1894, and the whole of his ministerial life was spent in the pastoral oversight of that congregation.

MR. HORACE G. F. SHAW.

News of the death of Mr. Horace George Frederick Shaw, late Chief Accountant of the Irish Land Commission, at Carlton Lodge, Woodfield Hill, Coulsdon, Surrey, on July 9, has been received with much regret in Dublin. Mr. Shaw was aged 67 years. Before entering the Land Commission, he had served in the offices of the Irish Church Temporalities Commission and in the Hibernian Bank, Dame street, Dublin. On retiring from the Land Commission about four years ago, he went to reside in Surrey. Mr. Shaw was the son of the late Frederick Shaw, Chief Clerk of the Valuation Office, Ely place, Dublin. His generous and companionable nature won him many friends, and he was always ready to help such as were in difficulties.

CRICKET TEST MATCHES.

AID TO GOOD-FELLOWSHIP.

Proposing the health of Mr. Gilligan and the members of his Australian touring team at a dinner in London last night, Admiral Sir J. de Robeck said that what Test matches meant to the Empire was more than we could understand. Nothing helped good fellowship in our Dominions more than cricket.

Responding, Mr. Gilligan paid a tribute to the work done by Hobbs, Sutcliffe, Tate and Strudwick. Mr. Collins, he said, was one of the most friendly captains he had ever played against, and the sportsmanship of the Australian public was fine.

LONDON LETTER.

IRISH LOYALISTS' CLAIMS.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

On the principle that half a loaf is better than none, the Peers supporting Lord Selborne's motion in the House of Lords for an inquiry into the claims of Irish loyalists were willing to accept the offer made this afternoon by Lord Salisbury on behalf of the Government. It did not amount to very much; for it was an offer of an informal inquiry to be made offer of an informal inquiry to be made by the Government. Lord Arnold resumed the debate, speaking from the Front Opposition Bench. His speech was really an attack on the loyalists, though he admitted in his opening that they had been possessed of grievances.

Lord Lansdowne, who followed, struck a very different note. Standing very erect, the venerable Peer spoke in a voice which could be heard remarkably well for some time, though it grew a little indistinct towards the close of his speech. He warmly commended Lord Selborne for taking up the claims of the loyalists. A great wrong was being done in Ireland, and it required investigation. He was of opinion that the Irish Free State would welcome such an inquiry, while the results would be better for co-operation with the Free State Government. Lord Lansdowne was listened to with deep sympathy when, in rather pathetic tones, he told of his own experiences. Left with the bare walls of his house and only part of its contents, he was met fairly as regarded compensation for the building, but had trouble to secure compensation for its furniture.

Government's Decision.

As soon as Lord Lansdowne had resumed his seat Lord Salisbury rose, advanced to the table, and, after referring to the moving speech made by Lord Lansdowne, commenced to read a document. He stated that the Government were willing to agree to the setting up of an informal committee to inquire into a certain number of particular hardships, which might be divided into three categories. Those he mentioned were cases under the Irish Free State Act, delay in payment and cases not covered by the Irish Free State Act. Lord Selborne, while expressing the view that the offer did not go as far as his friends wanted, welcomed the decision of the Government as an advance, and suggested the further adjournment of the debate.

Opinion in the Free State.

The presumption that the Free State would approve of the inquiries, said the Earl of Mayo, was rather ill-founded. He had it from the authorities in Dublin that they would take no part in such an informal conference. Ireland was now a peaceful country, and he saw no use in digging up again the troubles of the past. The debate was once again adjourned to some future date not yet determined, leaving the situation but little altered. Nobody seemed to understand exactly the kind of committee that Lord Salisbury had in his mind this afternoon. An informal body, even though it might include some members of the Government, would have very little power to examine witnesses and none at all to demand documents. The view was that the inquiry might not, after all, be so informal as suggested, but would be set up by the Government with very carefully defined terms of reference. Considerable interest was expressed as to the view that the Irish Free State Government may take regarding the inquiry, though it was generally agreed that Lord Mayo's speech had made its attitude clear.

Mr. Ronald McNeill.

The tall and imposing figure of Mr. Ronald McNeill was seen in the Lobby of the House of Commons this afternoon. It was his first appearance since his bereavement and his own illness. Mr. McNeill was looking very well, and much appreciated the sympathetic conversation of his friends.

The Mining Crisis.

The refusal of the miners, after a long and secret discussion, to have anything to do with the court of inquiry set up by the Government is a very grave development, and for the first time the deadlock is not only apparent, but real. The owners refuse absolutely to withdraw their proposals, and in reply the miners refuse to meet them. A strike or lock-out at the end of the present month becomes possible, and a situation which seemed remote yesterday is now near. In the Lobby the opinion regarding the coal position this evening is that the two sides must come together sooner or later, and developments now taking place behind the scenes rather suggest that it will be the former. Mr. Bridgeman is the official peace-maker, but the Prime Minister and other distinguished members of the House of Commons are anxious to avert any untoward incidents that must arise if negotiations break down entirely. Once again it is repeated by the mining members that the responsible leaders want to avoid a strike, because they realise that it would mean further privation, and possibly starvation, for the workers; for there are no funds for strike pay.

A Communist Success.

The news that Mr. Purcell had been returned at the top of the poll in the Forest of Dean arrived in the House of Commons at 3.35 this afternoon, and it was hailed with a stentorian shout by Mr. Lansbury. The Socialists were much elated at the success, and for some moments gibed and jeered at the Government benches opposite. The election is really a triumph for the extremists; for Mr. Purcell is a "Red," in full sympathy with the Communists. The true story of the Forest of Dean election is rather amusing. The seat was first offered to Mr. Mosley by the extremists and the moderates of the Socialist Party combined, but he was unable to accept the offer. Mr. Macdonald wanted Miss Bondfield to be nominated, and she was accepted by the moderates, but rejected by the extremists. Miss Bondfield would not stand as the representative of one faction, so withdrew, and Mr. Purcell came along to win the seat.

The Autumn Army Manœuvres.

The recurrence of foot-and-mouth disease in different parts of the country is causing apprehension lest the autumn grand scale Army manœuvres may be seriously limited in area. Last year's programme had to be abandoned in consequence of outbreaks in the manœuvre ground, and the military authorities are not too sanguine that this year's scheme will be carried through according to plan, especially as the scheduled area spreads over six counties. As at present arranged, some fifty-two battalions of infantry will be engaged, and the artillery support for these 30,000 foot will comprise, roughly, seventy batteries. Cavalry, the Air Force and other troops will be present in proportionate strength. A London newspaper has arranged with a distinguished Field-Marshal to act as its special correspondent during the manœuvre period.

FRENCH EXPORTS AND IMPORTS

PARIS, Wednesday.

French exports for the first six months of 1925 amounted to 21,624,000,000 francs in value as compared with 21,239,000,000 francs last year. Imports were 18,837,000,000 francs as compared with 19,854,000,000 francs in 1924. Exports for June were 3,507,000,000 francs as compared with 2,880,000,000 last year.

MR. BRYAN ATTACKED.

"SPIRITUAL TREASON."

NEW YORK PAPER'S COMMENT.

DAYTON TRIAL.

JUDGE UPHOLDS THE INDICTMENT.

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

ALTHOUGH Mr. William Jennings Bryan, the leading counsel for the prosecution in the "Monkeyville" trial at Dayton, is probably one of the coolest men in America to-day, inasmuch as he works without his coat and collar and is always fanning himself, he is undoubtedly the target of some of the bitterest invective ever hurled among Americans in recent years.

A typical example of the criticism to which this perfervid revivalist has been subjected is contained in a leading article in this morning's *New York World*, which surpasses in the severity of its strictures even the remarks of counsel for the defence in the Dayton trial.

The paper accuses Mr. Bryan of "spiritual treason against the people of the United States, for the raising of the religious issue in American politics is more mischievous and wicked than anything to which any politician has stooped in our times."

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

DAYTON (TENNESSEE), Wednesday.

At the opening of to-day's hearing of the evolution trial Judge Raulston called upon Charles Francis Potter, of New York, a Unitarian clergyman, to lead the opening prayer. It will be recalled that yesterday the judge referred the question of the prayer controversy to the local Pastors' Association, as a group of ministers had asked that Fundamentalists and Modernists should read the opening prayer on alternative days, since the prayers were largely augumentative.

The Pastors' Association decided that it would be an act of courtesy to recognise the visitor—perhaps, in view of his unfortunate experience on Sunday, when members of the Methodist Episcopal Church violently protested against his appearance in Dayton, where he had come to preach on evolution.

The opening prayer to-day was a short one, and at its conclusion Mr. Neal, counsel for the defence, took the floor and explained his position in relation to the whole subject of prayer in a court.

INDICTMENT TO STAND.

The court room was crowded to hear Judge Raulston give his decision disallowing the motion of the defence to quash the indictment against Professor Scopes. The judge, who read the lengthy document in a quiet voice, was evidently conserving his strength. He held that the law under which the indictment was drawn up was constitutional, and brushed aside all technical objections to it, expressing the opinion, for example, that the captions of the Act and the Act itself were in harmony.

He was unable, he said, to see how the Act interfered with the constitutional rights of citizens to worship according to their consciences, since any person could worship in any manner that pleased himself. The schools were not places of worship, but designed for mental and moral development.

The judge added that he also failed to see how the teachers' rights were violated, since there was no law in the State of Tennessee which compelled the defendant or any other citizen to accept employment in public schools.

"If the defendant's conscience constrains him to teach the evolution theory, he can find opportunities elsewhere, in schools of other States, to give expression to his beliefs and convictions upon this and other subjects without any interference from the State of Tennessee or its authorities. Under the provision of this Act the defendant or any other person can entertain any religious belief which appeals to their conscience."

Discussing the constitutionalism of the evolution law, Judge Raulston read the ruling of the State Supreme Court to prove that the control of public schools is the function of the State Legislature. The judge also read a portion of a decision of the Supreme Court of Nebraska, which held that the Nebraska law prohibiting the teaching of any other language than English was not in conflict with the Federal Constitution.

JURY'S HOLIDAY OVER.

During the afternoon the jury, which had been absent two days during the debate over the motion to quash the indictment, returned, and the trial proceeded.

One of the lawyers for the defence told the Court that their broad purpose would be to prove that the Bible was a work of religion, which must be kept to the field of theology and not allowed to obtrude upon the field of science, while their narrow purpose would be to prove Professor Scopes innocent of any violation of the evolution statute.

Mr. Malone, one of the counsel for the defence, was the principal speaker this afternoon. During his remarks Mr. Bryan was brought to his feet for the first time since the trial commenced.

The Attorney-General, Mr. Stewart, had objected twice to remarks aimed at Mr. Bryan for his Fundamentalist activities, whereupon Mr. Bryan rose and informed the Court that he desired no protection, and would defend himself at the proper time.

PLEA OF NOT GUILTY.

Before Mr. Malone began speaking the jury were sworn in, and Professor Scopes pleaded not guilty.

HIGH TEMPERATURES.

The weather report issued by the Air Ministry last night says that the temperature rose above 80 degrees Fahrenheit at a few places in the East and South-East of England, and touched 83 degrees at Cromer, South Farnborough, and London. In Dublin the day was virtually sunless, with light rain in the early hours. The maximum temperature was 63.

ANOTHER ELECTION SUGGESTED.

THE NORTHERN SENATE FIASCO.

BLUNDER THAT SHOULD BE RECTIFIED.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Wednesday.

The fiasco of the Northern Senate election, in which the Nationalist candidate did not receive a single vote owing to the late arrival of ballot papers, is a molehill that may be turned into a mountain, and wise statesmanship should remove it at the earliest moment.

It is obvious that a blunder, which ought to have been avoided, was made, and it is suggested that the quickest and best way to restore good feeling is to order new elections. Any attempt to throw the blame upon any particular section is to be deprecated. Every member of the House of Commons had ample time to send in his voting paper, and the supporters of Mr. Devoto, the Nationalist candidate for the Senate, might have taken steps to ensure that their papers would reach the Speaker at an earlier date. On the other hand, it is absurd to say that registered letters posted on the 11th inst. could not have been delivered in the same city before 11 o'clock on the 14th inst.

It ought not to have been impossible, in view of a Parliamentary election, to have arranged a special delivery of all registered letters in the Post Office at Belfast for the Speaker at 10.30 o'clock on the morning of the count. It is certain that nobody regrets the difficulty more than the Returning Officer (the Right Hon. Hugh O'Neill), whose fairness as Speaker of the House of Commons has been one of the outstanding features of that Assembly. If the Government seeks his advice the Speaker, it is said, may suggest a new election as the best way out of the difficulty.

COMMONS CAN DECIDE.

It is open to the Northern House of Commons to investigate the matter. Clause 14 of the regulations governing the election states: "If any question arises as to the validity of an election or as to any decision given by me (the Speaker) under these regulations, the same will be determined by the House of Commons or in such manner as that House may direct."

The Speaker had no option under the rules but to decline to accept the voting papers when they were late. The House, however, should take into consideration the fact that for the first time the 12th July was a Bank holiday, and that voters could not have been aware of the standing arrangement under which registered letters are delivered to the Parliament House by the second, instead of the first, delivery. It was in consequence of this arrangement that the paper in favour of Mr. Devoto were not delivered until three-quarters of an hour after the count had started.

The whole affair has created an unfortunate impression against the Government, which has gained virtually no party advantage as a result of the blunder. Should the Government decide to support a new election, an early announcement to this effect would allay much of the unnecessary feeling which is being shown in some quarters.

The Government of Ireland Act, 1920, states that when there are four or more vacancies in the Senate the election shall be according to the principle of proportional representation. As it is improbable that there will be four vacancies in the Senate at any one time, before the next statutory election for twelve members, the Nationalists would not have an opportunity of securing any representation in the Senate during the next four years.

HIGH BUILDING PRICES.

MINISTRY'S SANCTION REFUSED.

The Free State Ministry for Local Government has refused to sanction the acceptance by the Blackrock Urban Council of tenders which have been received for the building of houses in the district, on the ground that they are too high, and has directed the Council to re-advertise the contracts.

The Council had forwarded to the Ministry five tenders for a scheme for the erection of six five-roomed houses at Booterstown.

The Secretary to the Ministry wrote in reply that he was directed to state that the provision of houses by a local authority at the prices quoted would not alone be undesirable, but would be unjust to the general body of ratepayers. The tender prices quoted ranged from £724 to £825 per house, which was about £200 more than the contract figures for houses of similar accommodation in an adjoining district. The Minister was unaware of any local conditions existing in Blackrock which would account for this disparity. He suggested that the Council should re-advertise for tenders, and intimated that unless greatly reduced quotations were forthcoming he would be compelled to withhold his sanction to the Council's proceeding further with the scheme.

The Council's architect said that the prices were prohibitive, and added that none of the tenders was from a local contractor.

The matter was referred to the Committee.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION OF EMIGRANTS.

THE NEW AMERICAN REGULATIONS.

The examination of Irish emigrants to the United States by United States medical and other officers at the port of embarkation will begin on the 1st of August next. From that date two officials—one a medical and the other a general emigration expert—will be attached to the Consulate-General in Dublin. These officers will make the required examination and thereby obviate to a great extent the risk of emigrants being turned back when they reach the United States.

Similar officers will be attached to the Consulates in Belfast and Queenstown.

It should be made clear that the examination on this side of the Atlantic is not final, but, in view of the experience of the officers who are coming over, it is hoped that very few emigrants will be allowed to receive *visas* who will not pass the final examination at the port of landing as usual.

The examination will be conducted by the seven special inspectors who arrive at Plymouth to-day on the United States liner George Washington, and will take up the duties at Dublin, Queenstown, London, Southampton, Glasgow, Liverpool, and Belfast.

It is understood that the United States public health surgeons and immigration inspectors will act as technical advisors to the Consulates at the seven cities named above as regards the issuance of immigration *visas*. Other Consulates in the British Isles may, after July 20th, issue only non-immigrant *visas*, but where the *status* is doubtful may refer applicants to one of the first-mentioned Consulates.

The condition of Madame Caillaux, the wife of the French Finance Minister, who was seriously injured in a motor car accident last Sunday, is improving.

U.S. FLAGSHIP FOR KINGSTOWN.

VISIT OF REAR-ADMIRAL THIS MONTH.

The 13,000 ton armoured ship Pittsburg, the flagship of the United States naval forces in European waters, will be one of the Horse Show Week attractions at Kingstown.

We understand that the Pittsburg, which was built in Philadelphia in 1903 at a cost of £800,000, will arrive at Kingstown on July 26th and remain until August 8th. The ship, which is commanded by Vice-Admiral Phillip Andrews, Commander of the United States naval forces in European waters, has a complement of 50 officers and between 500 and 600 men.

It had been intended that she would come to Dublin, but, owing to her heavy draught, she will have to anchor in Kingstown roads.

BIG COUNTERFEIT PLOT.

80 ARRESTS IN THE UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The arrest of eight men, and the disclosure of *caches* containing 35,000 dollars in counterfeit bills, are thought to have brought to an end one of the most extensive counterfeit conspiracies that have ever been hatched in this country.

Seventy-two accomplices of the men arrested, who had been engaged in the retail trade of the bills, had been previously apprehended.—(Reuter.)

SECURITY PACT

GERMANY'S REPLY TO FRANCE.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

BERLIN, Wednesday.

The Cabinet met this morning to discuss the reply to the French Note on the Security Pact. The meeting lasted from half-past ten till two o'clock. At its close it was stated that the terms of the German reply had been approved.

During the day circumstantial accounts were current as to sharp differences between the Foreign Minister, Herr Stresemann, and his Nationalists colleagues in the Cabinet, especially Herr Schiele, the Minister of the Interior, but I understand that apart from party conflict natural to the discussions of so controversial a question in a Coalition Cabinet these differences were negligible.

The objections of the wholehearted opponents of the Pact have yet to be heard in public.

The Cabinet discussion of the reply appears to have concentrated upon a particular feature of the proposals as amended in the French version — namely, that France should guarantee the Treaties of Arbitration between Germany and her Eastern neighbours.

I gather that strong objection was raised to this part of the scheme as containing the elements of a very serious danger to Germany.

It is contended that a serious conflict might easily arise out of a chance frontier incident between Russia and Poland, as the result of which Germany might be compelled to allow the transit of French troops and Russia might regard such action as an act of war.

"TWELFTH" RIOTING.

28 PERSONS CHARGED IN GLASGOW.

Twenty-eight persons, including a woman, appeared at the Glasgow Police Courts yesterday on charges arising out of the Orange Day disturbances in Glasgow last Saturday.

Seventeen young men, who are alleged to have taken part in rowdy scenes in the Garngad district, were further remanded. They are charged with forming part of a riotous and disorderly crowd, and maliciously breaking plate glass windows with stones and other missiles. One of the defendants was further charged with discharging a loaded revolver and wounding a man.

A woman who broke into the Orange procession in George street was admonished. Two men, who were alleged to have struck a constable and a man with bottles, were remitted to the Sheriff. John McGuire, Thomas Owens, and John Kelly, who conducted themselves in a disorderly manner in Shettleston, were each fined three guineas. Charges against five other men of committing breaches of the peace were adjourned until to-day.

SENATE ELECTIONS.

FARMERS AND "EX-EVERYBODY" CANDIDATES.

When the forthcoming Senate election was discussed at a meeting of the Kilkenny Farmers' Union, Mr. P. McGrath said that by returning the Farmers' candidates they would refute the ugly aspersion that was cast on the farming community by men who knew nothing about agriculture. There was too much mud-slinging at the farmers, and the reason for that was that at the recent Dail elections farmers did not do their duty to their own class.

Mr. D. J. Gorey, T.D., said that the farmer wanted adequate representation in the Senate. Other men had been put on the panel with other means of living—politicians and directors of railways, and who got compensation after retiring from the service. They had "ex-everybodies"—ex-captains, ex-legislators, ex-Dail members, and even three or four members of one family. The farmers would be a very poor class, indeed, if they could not elect the seven candidates they had put forward.

AMERICAN VISITORS IN DUBLIN.

BIG PARTY ARRIVES FROM KILLARNEY.

The 230 members of the American organisation, the Knights of Columbus, arrived in Dublin yesterday afternoon, where they will stay for a couple of days.

They reached Queenstown last Saturday, breaking their journey to Rome, which is the main purpose of their visit to Europe, for a five days' tour of Ireland. Cork City was first visited, and the party then went to Killarney, from where they travelled to Dublin yesterday.

As no hotel in Dublin at present can accommodate the whole party, they are stopping at a number of the principal hotels.

HOTEL WORKERS' CLAIMS.

CONFERENCE WITH THE EMPLOYERS.

A conference was held in Lord Edward street, Dublin, yesterday, under the chairmanship of an official of the Ministry of Labour, between representatives of the Hotel, Restaurant, and Catering Association and of the Hotel Workers' Union (a branch of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union).

Various points of difference were gone into at considerable length. No statement was issued by the Ministry of Labour as to the results of the conference.

Col. E. N. Broadbent has been appointed Colonel on the Staff in Charge of Administration, British Army of the Rhine, in succession to Col. J. D. McLachlan.

LAWN TENNIS BOOMING.

AUSTRALIAN LADIES IN DUBLIN.

THE SCENE AT WILTON PLACE.

INTERNATIONAL lawn tennis matches at the Fitzwilliam Club grounds, and the contests for the Lawn Tennis Championships of Ireland, are to be reckoned high among the interests of Dublin this week. Yesterday the advent of the Australian ladies in the second series of international games drew visitors to the grounds in Wilton place.

Except for members who have a fine club house for their own use, there is no shelter from rain at these grounds, and the weather outlook is bound to have an effect on the attendance. Dulness of sky yesterday made the prospects doubtful, and it was not until late in the afternoon that the stands overlooking the central courts began to look full.

A BUSY WEEK.

The Fitzwilliam Club provides well for spectators. From either of the stands a good view is obtained of play on the two central courts, and most of the matches that are likely to attract special interest are played there. Many competitions have to be decided in the course of the week, and at times games are in progress simultaneously on six or seven out of the club's ten grass courts; but few visitors ask to watch more than the contests that take place on the central courts.

One stand is immediately in front of the club-house; the other is opposite, below the wall nearest the canal side. The sides of the area are screens, dividing the central courts from the other two ranges of courts. From the club stand one looks over the courts to the background of trees in Wilton place garden; from the other stand the view is of the tall backs of Fitzwilliam square houses.

SCHOOLGIRLS PRESENT.

In the afternoon, when the more frankly spectacular part of the programme is begun, the time for straying of the eyes from the play is short. Yesterday international games between the Australian and the Irish ladies' representatives were in progress for the greater part of two hours, and then, after a convenient time for tea, interesting matches in the Mixed Doubles Championship were begun.

At three o'clock half the seats on the club stand were taken, but here were few spectators on the other stand until a score or two of school girls filed in—a pretty sight in uniform tennis costume, with white straw hats and blue "blazers." When play began, these girls gave an exhilaration to the proceedings (which otherwise had been overcast by the dullness of the sky), by a readiness of applause that marked their eager following of the play in the court nearest to them.

THE INEVITABLE CAMERA.

Two "singles" were played first. Of the first pair of ladies to appear, one wore a green and the other a mauve head-band; but it soon appeared that these were not team-colours, for the wearer of the green was Miss Boyd, one of the Australians. Miss Hilda Wallis was her opponent. These two played on No. 1 Court; the match on the other court, which took the attention of the school-girls, was between Miss Akhurst (Australia) and Mrs. Blair-White.

Before play began, the ladies were photographed. When that was done one of the photographers put down his camera, and mounted the umpire's ladder-seat against No. 1 Court. He was Mr. Maunsell, who doubles his interest in tournament tennis by umpiring important matches and forming a collection of players' portraits.

AUSTRALIAN VICTORIES.

On both courts the Australian ladies won, and then the four ladies who had played in the Singles appeared again with four others, and two "Doubles" matches were started, with photography again a preliminary. Ladies, to whom the matter is of importance, are informed hereby that four of the ladies wore headbands, two had no headgear, and two (Australians) wore hats which, with trembling, an ignoramus can only describe as of a bonnet pattern.

On No. 1 Court, Mrs. Harper (captain of the Australians) and Miss Akhurst allowed Miss Wallis and Miss Haughton to take only one game before they made the first set. Towards the second set they got five games. Then the Irish ladies got three in succession, but an Australian victory was only delayed.

In the other court, by that time, the play had become very interesting. For the first set, games had gone almost turn about for a long time, but the Australian ladies took the set at 6-4. When the finish of play on No. 1 Court left attention clear, the players on No. 2 were in the seventh game of the second set, and at its close the games were 4-3 in favour of Australia. The next two games, like those before them, contained stubborn rallies, and went in and out of deuce for a long time, but the Australians took them both. The record of the afternoon, then, did not include one set to Ireland either in Singles or Doubles.

SITTING IN JUDGMENT.

Figures in the scene on the central court, besides the players, are the umpires, who sit at the top of tall ladders and sing little songs about the state of play after every game; ladies, who sit beside the courts ready to give evidence as to the fall of the ball in doubtful cases; and little boys in scarlet jerseys, who run about and scoop up loose balls and always have a couple ready for the player engaged in service.

The people who made the Fitzwilliam Club the headquarters of Irish lawn tennis did not foresee that one of the advantages of the site would be the convenience of Wilton place roadway as a parking place for motor cars—no small advantage for such a place in these days.

[A full report of the play appears on Page 8.]

BANK ROBBER KILLED.

SHOT BY MANAGER'S WIFE.

OTTAWA, Wednesday.

Mrs. Rodger, the wife of the manager of the St. David's, Ontario, branch of the Imperial Bank, has saved her husband's life by shooting a bandit who was attempting to rob the bank.

Mrs. Rodger encountered her husband struggling with the intruder on the top of a verandah 75 feet above the ground, over which the bandit was trying to throw him. Thereupon she fired through a door, hitting the man in the shoulder, and causing his subsequent death in hospital.—(Reuter.)

REPORT ON SHANGHAI DISORDERS.

CUSTOMS CONFERENCE.

Mr. Chamberlain, in reply to Colonel Day, in the House of Commons yesterday, said that the British representatives had not yet been appointed to the Chinese Customs Conference, and he could not say when the Conference was likely to take place. It was provided in the Washington Treaty that it should meet in China within three months from the ratification of the Treaty at a date and place to be designed by the Chinese Government.

Mr. Chamberlain told Sir Robert Gower that the Commission which investigated the disorders at Shanghai had returned to Peking. The action to be taken on their report, the terms of which he was not at present prepared to make public, was under consideration.

GERMAN AND RUSSIAN ACTIVITY.

Mr. Foot Mitchell asked the Secretary for War whether he had any information to the effect that the Chinese militarists had introduced German chemists for the purpose of manufacturing poison gas, and were also employing Russian experts to assist them in their military plans.

Sir L. Worthington-Evans said that the answer to both parts of the question was in the affirmative.

At Broxburn, West Lothian, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Andrew M'Kenzie and her two children, Rita and Mary, seven and three years, respectively, were found dead with their throats cut. Mrs. M'Kenzie's husband died only a few days ago.

COAL CRISIS ACUTE.

MEN REJECT COURT OF INQUIRY.

HINT TO OWNERS.

READY FOR AN OPEN CONFERENCE.

THE position in regard to the mining dispute is still indefinite, although, as was suggested, the Miners' Delegate Conference at Scarborough decided to have nothing to do with the Government court of inquiry. They, however, expressed a willingness to meet the owners in open conference as soon as their proposals had been withdrawn.

The Lobby Correspondent of the Central News says that the M.P.'s who stand outside feel that both sides are still talking to each other at long range, and that they intend to come together after a little more of this.

The atmosphere at Westminster does not suggest that any harm would be done if the owners withdrew their proposals, about which, it is notorious, they are divided.

A suspicion exists that the Miners' Federation, on their side, are not so united as appears on the surface.

It seems to be clear that, if it is to be from the miners' point of view a choice of two evils—lower wages or longer hours—the former rather than the latter is the more promising approach. A reduction of wages can be offset by cheaper cost of living, but an extension of hours, once assented to, is difficult to cancel.

The text of the resolution adopted by the Miners' Federation Conference at Scarborough is:—

> "The Executive recommends the Conference to inform the Government that it can accept no Court of Inquiry that has for its object the ascertainment of whether mine workers' wages can be reduced or their hours extended, as these questions were fully discussed at the last inquiry. The Executive further recommends that we repeat our willingness to meet the coal owners in open conference as soon as they have withdrawn their proposals."

The suspension of the court of inquiry is expected in view of the miners' attitude (says the Press Association).

Mr. Cook stated that the Miners' Executive felt that there was no need for any sort of inquiry owing to the reports already on record of the Sankey Commission and the Buckmaster inquiry. The miners, he declared, would not go into any inquiry that might involve longer hours or lower wages. No counter-proposals, it is understood, are likely to be formulated at the Scarborough Conference.

CABINET MEETING.

The Cabinet discussed the miners' decision last evening. It is understood that the Ministers directly concerned, the Minister of Labour, the Secretary for Mines, and Mr. Bridgeman, the Government mediator, have arranged to be in constant touch while the deadlock continues. It is probable that there will be meetings of the Cabinet and Committee of Imperial Research before the end of the week.

Mr. Cook expects to receive a letter from Mr. Bridgeman this morning.

In Ministerial circles the mining situation is not regarded as hopeless, says the Political Correspondent of the *Daily Mail*. It is pointed out that the wording of the resolutions is careful and leaves the door open for the miners to reconsider their attitude in both cases. There appears to be no ground for doubting that the court of inquiry will sit. Mr. Bridgeman, the Government "mediator," is still in touch with both sides and is continuing his efforts to bring the two parties together. The hope was expressed last night that this would be found possible before the end of the week. Fresh efforts will be made to secure the representation of the miners' case at the court of inquiry.

IN CASE OF STRIKE.

NAVAL MEN IN READINESS.

Mr. Montague, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the First Lord of the Admiralty whether instructions had been issued relative to the remuneration of Naval *personnel* employed on, or standing by for, industrial work in case of strikes.

Mr. Bridgeman said that an order had been issued, consisting of details as to the allowances which might be granted under various conditions, and the manner in which accounts were to be rendered.

Mr. Montague asked if this meant the provision of "blacklegs" for private firms, in what was considered a national emergency.

Mr. Thurtle—Is the intention to use Navy men for strike-breaking purposes?

Mr. Bridgeman said that this would be a very erroneous view to take of the Order, which had been in existence since 1919, but had been slightly revised since, to meet the conditions in foreign ports. Its object was to enable the Government to carry out its duty, to protect British life, and, as far as required, the supply of food, and other necessaries.

Mr. Montague asked if the Order laid down conditions under which private firms should reimburse the Admiralty for services rendered.

Mr. Bridgeman—Yes; certainly.

Mr. T. Griffiths—Have the Government in mind the possibility of employing Navy men in the collieries?

Mr. Bridgeman—This Order has been in operation for some time, and under successive Governments.

GOLD STANDARD.

MR. CHURCHILL DEFENDS IT AGAINST CRITICS.

Speaking at a banquet given last night by the Lord Mayor of London, Mr. Winston Churchill, in surveying the financial and economic situation of the country, admitted that it contained many disquieting features, but counselled calm, deliberate search for remedies.

Though the unemployment figures had increased, he said, there were more people employed than ever before, while there was a continuous rise in the comfort level of the masses. Though he was advised that the increased consumption was not at the expense of the country's reserves, the margin of safety had undoubtedly markedly diminished.

Defending the restoration of the gold standard against criticisms of Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Churchill declared that a depreciated exchange, while acting as a temporary stimulus to export trade, would entail the elimination of its profitability. Pessimistic forebodings as to restriction of credit as a result of the restoration of the standard, however, had not been realised.

NOVELIST'S DEATH.

The *Westminster Gazette* states that Miss Mary Cholmondeley, novelist, the authoress of "Red Pottage" and other well-known books, died yesterday at her home, 4 Argyll road, Kensington.

POOR LAW REFORM.

STATE MEDICAL SERVICE SUGGESTED

FOR RURAL AREAS.

A further sitting of the Commission inquiring into the administration of the Poor Law in the Free State was held yesterday—Mr. C. H. O'Conor, chairman, presiding.

Mr. J. R. Dagg, formerly clerk to the Baltinglass Guardians, gave evidence of the position in Co. Wicklow since amalgamation. The position of the County Hospital at Wicklow and of the County Home at Rathdrum, he said, was in each case objectionable and inconvenient. It was both possible and desirable to board out poor persons belonging to one county in the County Home of an adjoining county when they lived far away from their own County Home.

RELIEF.

Relief to able-bodied homeless persons should take the form of the farm colony system in the counties and in cities the labour yard. In both cases there should be powers of detention, and portion of the wages a man earned should be set aside to form a fund to provide him with means to make a fresh start in life. If a man were travelling looking for work he should be provided with a ticket to be vised by the Civic Guard, who could give him an order for a night's lodging in a common lodginghouse.

He would leave the granting of outdoor relief to the discretion of the Board of Health, subject to the limitation that the list of recipients, with the remarks of the clerk, should be sent weekly to the Local Government Department. The list of recipients should be published on the dispensary notice boards.

The Chairman—Would you not have sympathy with the respectable persons forced by poverty to seek relief, and who would feel the publication of their distress very much?

Mr. Dagg—I would not be in sympathy with them. The names of those receiving pensions on the Civil List are published.

Sir Joseph Glynn—Pensions for services to the State.

Mr. Dagg suggested that relief should be given to widows with one or more children at the rate of 10s. per week for herself, 4s. for every child under eight, and 2s. 6d. for every child over eight and under fifteen. All destitute poor children without parents should be boarded out. From practical experience he could testify to the value of the boarding-out system.

Unmarried mothers coming under the Poor Law should be put into suitable employment under the surveillance of a philanthropic society, and their children should be boarded out. The society should recommend what portion of the mother's wages should be set aside towards the cost of the maintenance of her child. The law relating to putative fathers should be amended by striking out the necessity for corroborative evidence.

STATE MEDICAL SERVICE.

The present medical relief system should be converted into a State Medical Service, with commensurate salaries. Great delay and suffering were caused by defective arrangements for affording medical relief. An attempt was made by the Local Government Board to remedy that state of affairs, and a graduated scale of fees was suggested for persons of limited means. That plan was adopted in several unions with success, but it had since died out. It should be revived if a State Medical Service could not be established.

The Chairman—What advantages do you see in a State Medical Service?

Mr. Dagg—You would have the care of the body a State charge, as the care of the mentally sick is a public charge. In rural districts I would appoint a doctor at a suitable salary, at least £800 a year, and he would be there to attend to everybody. Farmers would pay for the service a penny in the pound extra, and could call in the doctor at any time. The result would be a great change for the better; for the doctor would be called in at once instead of, as at present, being sent for when the patient is *in articulo mortis*. Medical officers would be appointed on competitive examination, as Army doctors are appointed.

Mr. Sugrue—How would you provide the funds for this service?

Mr. Dagg—Out of local funds raised by a levy on property, and not by a poll tax on the poor. Property should be the source of the funds necessary. The cost would roughly be a penny in the £ on the rates in the average union area.

Mr. Sugrue—Would your suggestion not wipe out a great many doctors in the country who depend on their private practice?

Mr. Dagg—There might be some difficulty about that, but generally in the rural districts the only doctor holds a public appointment. I have excluded urban areas from the scheme.

Among a large number of reforms of Board of Health administration suggested by Mr. Dagg was the adoption of a continuous audit, under which the accounts passed at every monthly finance meeting, with vouchers, should be sent at once to the audit department of the Local Government Department.

SEARCHING FOR WORK.

Mrs. Crofts (Local Government Inspector), recalled, said, in reply to Sir Joseph Glynn, that neither in the County Wicklow nor in County Wexford, since the amalgamation of the unions, had there been any provision made to meet the necessities of men or women looking for work who arrived in a town, and could not pay for a lodging. Local workers should be empowered to issue tickets to get such people into a registered lodging-house, or perhaps it might be possible to allow labour unions to issue such tickets.

Miss Fitzgerald Kenney, Local Government Inspector of boarded out children since 1902, said that the boarding out system was the only natural way to deal with children left destitute by the loss of their parents. Under that system the children grew up with the natural home ties, surrounded by natural influences.

The Chairman—Would you say that the boarding out system is in general use in the *Saorstat*?

Miss Kenney—Lately a tremendous effort is being made to put all those children into industrial schools. The idea seems to be to "institutionalise" the children more than formerly.

The Chairman—Is that the idea of the Boards of Health?

Miss Kenney—I do not think it is. Pressure is brought to bear on the Boards; influence is used.

The Chairman—By whom is the influence exerted?

Miss Kenney—I never asked by whom it was used. (Laughter.) I am aware that it is used.

The Chairman—In your opinion should that "institutionalising" be encouraged?

Miss Kenney—For the sake of the after life of the child it should not. The institution life is not for the advantage of the child, the State, or the ratepayers of the future. It should be discouraged entirely. I say most emphatically that every child should be boarded out, even where the mother can be located. I am in favour of working along the home lines that Providence has laid down.

She further stated that children should be boarded out immediately after weaning. She never experienced any difficulty in getting suitable foster homes. Of all the girls boarded out who had come under her notice the number who had gone wrong was remarkably small, and most of those had been boarded out too late in life. A very great advantage of the boarding out system was that a girl who got out of a situation always had a home to which she could go.

Dealing with the question of unmarried mothers, Miss Kenney said that she would strictly classify the first offenders. The older offenders she would send to a State penitentiary for a period of about seven years. She was in favour of women police attached to the ordinary police force.

She stated that she would not allow any girl to go to an industrial school. Boys and girls come out of institutions with no knowledge of the facts of life, and utterly unequipped for the world in which they had to live.

The *Daily Herald* announces the death, at the age of 81, of the Welsh bard, Eilir Aled (Mr. Morris Kyffin), of Rhosllanerchrugog, North Wales, one of the foremost stanza writers in Wales, and the winner of hundreds of Eisteddfodau prizes.

IRISH CATTLE TRADE.

IMPROVED SHIPPING AND LAIRAGE.

AMBITIOUS PROJECT

AMERICAN INTERESTS SOUGHT.

PLANS EXPLAINED.

FOR some time past a Committee of the Irish Cattle Trade has been considering the establishment of a new steamship service and the erection at the Port of Dublin of an independent lairage in order to provide better facilities for the shipment of Irish stock to the English markets.

Arrangements have been virtually completed for the running of a line of steamers, but the acquisition of a particular site for a lairage selected by the committee on ground near the North Wall, was not found to be possible, and there the matter rests for the moment.

The necessity for the lairage, the steps taken to secure it, and the arrangements which have been entered into for the establishment of a line of steamers were explained to an *Irish Times* representative at a meeting of the committee at the offices of the Irish Farmers' Union in Dublin yesterday.

RIVERSIDE LAIRAGE.

SECRETARY'S STATEMENT.

Mr. M. F. O'Hanlon, the honorary secretary of the Lairage Committee, explaining on behalf of those present the present position of the project, said that the Irish Cattle Trade Association, recognising the inadequacy of lairage accommodation at the Port of Dublin, had put forward demands for the establishment of a municipal lairage at the North Wall. It was urged that Dublin should possess a really up-to-date lairage, like Glasgow, Manchester and Birkenhead. Attention was occasionally called to the necessity for it—such as cattle being outshipped in the heavy season often having to walk three or four miles from their accommodation quarters to the ships through the lack of lairage facilities. Mr. O'Hanlon said that before the war the freight of a large store beast from Dublin to Glasgow was 4s. 10d.; to-day the rate on the same class of beast is 14s. 6d. The rate from Dublin to Birkenhead pre-war was 5s. 6d.; to-day on the same kind of beast it is 15s. 6d. The minimum charge for a beast from Dublin to Glasgow pre-war was 3s.; now it is 7s. 6d.

INITIAL STEPS.

The Cattle Trade Associations were determined to make an effort to remedy this condition of things, and they approached Mr. H. S. Harrington, Dunloe Castle, Killarney, an American barrister with extensive shipping and financial connections, and succeeded in interesting him in the matter. A conference took place in August, 1924, between Mr. Harrington, on the one hand, and Mr. John Cassidy and Senator Counihan, on the other, and ways and means were explored to achieve the desired object—namely, the establishment of an independent Irish shipping and lairage company. In February, 1925, two meetings representative of the cattle trade of all Ireland were held in the Shelbourne Hotel. A committee was formed, and initial steps were taken to secure the necessary guarantees both in respect of finance and trade. The results achieved were eminently satisfactory. Investigations carried out at the North Wall with a view to securing a site for the lairage led the Committee to the conclusion that portion of the twenty-two acres of property of the Great Southern Railways, which was practically unused, could with advantage to the trade of the country be allocated for the purpose of a lairage.

Accordingly an application was made on March 12th, 1925, to the directors of the Great Southern Railways Company for a lairage site at the North Wall. A representative of the Committee—Mr. John Leonard—visited the North Wall with some members of the Board of Directors of the Great Southern Railways Company, and pointed out the specific site for which they made application. On March 24th the Committee received a communication from the General Manager of the Great Southern Railways Company stating that the directors, after careful consideration of the application and an inspection of the locality, had arrived at the conclusion that they could not safely alienate the land in question, having regard to possible developments in the future. He also stated that the necessity for the decision arrived at was regretted, and that if the company could facilitate the operations of the Committee dealing with the matter they would be happy to do so. On the 26th of March the Committee wrote to the General Manager of the Great Southern Railways Company asking what exactly was meant by the words, "If the company could facilitate the operations of the Committee dealing with the matter they would be happy to do so," and on the 27th March a further letter was received from the General Manager explaining that the words referred to meant that the directors were exceedingly anxious to co-operate with, and facilitate, the Committee, and that what he intended to convey was that, while the particular piece of land selected by the Committee could not be made available owing to the railway company's requirements, if there was any other site suitable for their purpose within the railway boundary, or any other manner in which facilities could be provided, the directors would do their best to meet the wishes of the Committee.

OTHER SITES.

Subsequently the Committee inspected three other sites within the limits of the railway property at the North Wall suitable for their purpose, and made application for any one of these three sites, but the application was turned down. In subsequent negotiations the Committee pointed out to the railway company the results which would follow on their refusal to grant a suitable site, but the railway company persisted in their refusal to accede to the application.

Senator Counihan said that, in common with several other members of the cattle trade, he had been for twenty years advocating a municipal lairage at the North Wall. They wanted it put up by the Corporation, the railway companies, and the Port and Docks Board, where cattle could be properly fed and rested under the Department's supervision. "Until we have such a lairage and shipping accommodation," he concluded, "we cannot hope to successfully compete with the competition of Canadian cattle."

THE SHIPPING COMPANY.

Mr. Howard S. Harrington said:—It is a matter of extreme regret to me to learn that the efforts of the Cattle Trade Committee, with which I have been associated, seems to have resulted in a deadlock. When I was approached in respect to the matter I was very much impressed with the necessity, from the point of view of the cattle trade of Ireland, of having adequate lairage facilities and shipping services which would enable the cattle traders of Ireland to compete on fair terms with other cattle dealers seeking entry to British markets. I, therefore, agreed to place the matter before shipping and financial friends of mine in America, and before the officials of the United States Shipping Board. The European director of the United States Shipping Board was very much interested and came to Dublin personally to confer with the Committee.

I then went to America, and having satisfied myself upon the advice of competent shipping people that suitable ships were available in America, I succeeded in interesting an important American shipping corporation in the project, and the president of that corporation personally came to Ireland to confer with the Committee and to go into all details. As the result of that conference the company in question undertook to provide ships, which the Committee accepted as in every way suitable. The necessary finance was provided, and the consent of the Cabinet of the United States was secured to have these vessels sold to a proposed subsidiary Irish shipping corporation, and upon such sale the ships were to be transferred to the Irish flag. Since these arrangements were concluded, my friends in America have

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LATE NEWS.

MINERS AND THE COURT.

FOLLY OF A STRIKE.

In the course of a leading article upon the decision of the miners in conference at Scarborough not to take part in the proposed Court of Inquiry and not to resume negotiations with the owners unless the latter first withdraw their proposals, *The Times* observes:—The Scarborough resolution does not absolutely decline further negotiations with the owners. On the contrary, it declares that the Executive of the Federation may repeat that they are willing to meet the owners again in open conference "so soon as the owners have withdrawn their present proposals."

The men do not and cannot dispute the most decisive of the economic facts, in what Mr. Herbert Smith not inaptly described in his Presidential address as a "world crisis." It is a world crisis, and that is what makes the folly of attempts to improve it by closing the pits especially conspicuous. The need of a settlement under which the industry can live is urgent, and among the few facts quite clear to the plainest of plain men is that a strike or a lock-out may inflict irreparable injury upon it, and upon all who live by it, directly or indirectly, while such a move cannot possibly do good to any of them. The settlement which will have to be reached after a period of disorganisation, misery and loss of trade cannot be very unlike the settlement which might be had now by negotiation. Whenever it comes economic facts will determine its nature and its scope.

These facts are but too certainly established. The miners do not, and cannot, dispute them. They have not so far proposed any particular remedy for a situation which is, on the face of it, desperate, and which they do not deny to be desperate. No possible good can be done by meeting undisputed economic truths with uncompromising refusals.

GERMANY AND THE PACT.

REPLY APPROVED.

The Cabinet met this morning to discuss the reply to the French Note on the security pact, says *The Times* Berlin Correspondent, telegraphing last night. At its close it was stated that the terms of the German reply had been approved. During the day circumstantial accounts were current as to sharp differences between the Foreign Minister, Herr Stresemann and his Nationalist colleagues in the Cabinet, especially Herr Schiele, the Minister of the Interior, but I understand that, apart from the party conflict natural to the discussion of so controversial a question in a coalition Cabinet, these differences were negligible.

The Cabinet discussion of the reply appears to have concentrated upon a particular feature of the proposals as amended in the French version—namely, the proposal that France should guarantee the treaties of arbitration between Germany and her Eastern neighbours. I gather that strong objection was raised to this part of the scheme as containing the elements of a very serious danger to Germany. It is contended that a serious conflict might easily arise out of a chance frontier incident between Russia and Poland as the result of which Germany might be compelled to allow the transit of French troops, and Russia might regard such action as an act of war. This point, it will be remembered, was raised by Mr. Macdonald in the recent debate in the House of Commons.

CABINET'S POLICY ON CRUISERS.

Referring to Mr. Baldwin's statement in the House of Commons yesterday that the Cabinet had not come to any decision on their shipbuilding programme, the Political Correspondent of the *Westminster Gazette* says:—The Cabinet discussed the Naval programme for two hours yesterday, and did not arrive at a conclusion. None the less their minds are made up, and I have good authority for stating what compromise they will arrive at after to-day's inconvenient debate in the Commons is over. Great cruisers of 10,000 tons are now wanted instead of battleships by the Big Navy School.

The Naval enthusiasts have pushed for a pre-arranged period of six years. The latest proposal was for five cruisers to be laid down this year, followed by seven in the subsequent years, whatever the period. The compromise which the Cabinet intend to make is that five cruisers shall be laid down this year, and that it shall be agreed and stated that no figures shall be fixed now for the shipbuilding programme in the subsequent years, and that when the time comes for a decision the Government will "have regard" to the financial position. This it is thought will put the difficulties on the shelf for six months. There will have to be a small supplementary estimate.

DEATH OF DR. F. E. BEDDARD.

The Times regrets to announce that Dr. F. E. Beddard, D.Sc., F.R.S., zoologist and author, who was for many years prosecutor to the Zoological Society of London, died suddenly on Tuesday at his residence at West Hampstead, at the age of 67. He was born at Dudley and was educated at Harrow, afterwards going to New College, Oxford.

MR. TOBIAS BURKE.

The death took place in Dublin yesterday in his sixty-sixth year of Mr. Tobias Burke, late of Rockforest, Roscrea, County Tipperary, father of Mr. James A. Burke, T.D., Minister of Local Government and Public Health. Though in failing health for the past six months, he still maintained a keen interest in his business, and in the affairs of the country.

Mr. Burke was an active sportsman, being a well-known follower of hounds in County Tipperary, and was a popular figure in racing circles. In his younger days he was a good athlete and weight-thrower, and he always kept in touch with Irish sport.

3,000 PEOPLE DROWNED.

DISASTROUS FLOODS IN KOREA.

FROM THE TIMES CORRESPONDENT.

TOKIO, Wednesday.

Messages to the *Hochi Shimbun* from Korea report that three thousand persons are believed to have been drowned in the floods consequent on the incessant rains which caused the Rakutg River to burst its banks and inundate a large area. A relief party has been sent from Seoul. Some railways have suspended their services.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE TENNIS TEAM.

CALIFORNIANS DEFEATED.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

The Oxford and Cambridge Tennis Team to-day defeated the Californian team in three out of four doubles matches, the latter only winning the first match. The defeat of the Oxford and Cambridge team earlier in the week, however, has lost them the series.

LIQUOR IN BRITISH LINERS.

INJUNCTION REFUSED.

FROM "THE TIMES" CORRESPONDENT.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Federal Judge Mack yesterday declined to grant an injunction restraining port officers and prohibition authorities from observing the terms of the Treaty permitting British ships to bring in liquor under seal. The injunction was asked for by the Neptune Association, which is composed of deck officers in American-registered ships, who contended that East-bound passengers were being diverted from American to British ships because the latter vessels supplied liquor. The Court held that an appeal for the enforcement of a penal law must be made to the Executive branch of Government, and ultimately to the people.

At Manchester Assizes yesterday, when Joseph Walker (26), carter, was sent to penal servitude for four years for making counterfeit coins, it was stated that when detectives entered his house Walker was in the act of making coins. A pan of molten metal was on the fire, and Walker had a ladle and mould in his hands.

COMPENSATION.

DEBATE IN THE LORDS.

SOUTHERN LOYALIST CLAIMS.

LORD SALISBURY'S PROPOSAL.

FREE STATE OPPOSES FURTHER INQUIRY.

THE Marquis of Lansdowne's speech was a feature of the Lords' debate last night on the Earl of Selborne's motion for a committee to make recommendations in regard to compensation of Irish loyalists for post-truce malicious injuries.

Lord Lansdowne said that if he were called as a witness, his evidence, while unfavourable to the Free State in some points, would be favourable to them on the whole. He deprecated wholesale and indiscriminate charges against the Free State Government; but there was a great conflict of evidence, and an investigation of the facts would produce nothing but good results.

Lord Salisbury, in reply, suggested that two or three noble lords representing Lord Selborne and the Duke of Northumberland should join representatives of the Government in an informal committee. The Government's idea was that the committee should sift a certain number of typical cases, and that an agreement might be reached as to what was and what was not possible in the treatment of them. The Government would consider fully and most sympathetically any representations made by the committee.

On this undertaking, Lord Selborne agreed to an indefinite adjournment of the debate.

Lord Mayo, however, stated that the Irish Free State Government considered that the Wood-Renton Commission was a perfectly fair one, and they would take no part in negotiations of the kind suggested.

THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY.

JOINT COMMITTEE SUGGESTED.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

WESTMINSTER, Wednesday.

The House of Lords yesterday resumed the debate on the motion of the Earl of Selborne, "that a Committee of Inquiry be appointed by His Majesty's Government, which shall make recommendations as to the compensation which ought to be paid to those Irish loyalists (*a*) who have legal claims for compensation for post-Truce malicious injuries, but who have not received from the Free State compensation in accordance with the provisions of the Criminal and Malicious Injuries Acts, and (*b*) who have no legal claim for compensation under existing legislation, but who have suffered, in person or property, owing to the withdrawal of British protection in Southern Ireland."

Lord Arnold said that there had been during the past two or three years, on the part of loyalists in Ireland a great many misconceptions and misunderstandings with regard to the question of compensation in Ireland. Great efforts had been made to compensate those who had suffered loss or injury in Ireland, and, looking at the matter as a whole, he thought it would be found that no Government had made more generous provision to make compensation than the British Government had. It was impossible that everybody should be satisfied with the compensation they had been paid, but he denied that the British Government had committed any breach of faith in the matter. What had been done under the Wood-Renton Commission and under the Free State Act, 1923, as well as by the help given by the British Government, had been most generous.

REPLY TO COMPLAINTS.

It was well known, he said, that many claims which had been presented were grossly exaggerated, and he could not understand what right or justice there was in asking the British taxpayer to make up the deficiency on grossly inflated valuations of property. Lord Carson had said that the Act of 1923 was unjust because it did not give compensation for consequential damage, but under the old Act it was not the rule to grant such damage, although compensation was now awarded on an immense scale which was not awarded for damages under the old Act.

Another complaint was made with regard to delay in hearing cases, but he did not think that there was any ground for that, because they had had an enormous number of cases, and the Free State Government had never delayed in hearing them. Perhaps in another year or two there would be a recognition—looking at the matter broadly and considering all the circumstances—that substantial justice had been done under the Irish Free State Act of 1923, combined with further money, found, and to be found, by British Government. It might be imagined by some people, judging from the terms of the motion, that the Act of 1923 was deliberately designed by the Irish Free State to injure the Loyalists. Nothing could be further from the truth.

The Marquess of Lansdowne said that he saw no reason why the Free State Government itself should not welcome this investigation. A great many hard things had been said about the Free State Government, many of them, no doubt, undeservedly. If he were called upon to bear witness he should say that his evidence, while it would be unfavourable to the Free State in some points, would be, on the whole, favourable to them. He deprecated anything like wholesale and indiscriminate charges against the Free State Government; but there was a great conflict of evidence, and they were, surely, not unreasonable in suggesting that, in the circumstances, an investigation of the facts would produce nothing but good results.

NO DEPARTMENTAL INQUIRY.

With regard to the question of compensation, there was, he thought, a great possibility of agreement; but the whole matter should be dealt with by competent investigators, so that they might know where the right or the wrong lay. A good many of them were in doubt as to what was the precise attitude of the Government in regard to this matter, and they wanted to know exactly how they stood.

Lord Salisbury had expressed his desire to help to clear up the situation. It seemed to him that the proposal for an investigation was a very reasonable one, and Lord Salis-

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bury had said that the Government were themselves prepared to put forward a scheme for this purpose. But he would say for himself and others that they did not want a departmental inquiry undertaken by subordinate officials on the back-stairs of the Colonial Office. They wanted to have the cases examined by men of experience, of knowledge, of high standing and of authority, and, above all, of complete independence of character.

As to the subjects of the inquiry; in the first place, would come the question of compensation. One of the greatest hardships which the loyalists suffered at present was that they were now denied any compensation for damage due to plunder.

In this connection, Lord Lansdowne instanced the case of his own house, which had been wrecked and plundered, only the bare walls being left standing. His claim for compensation in respect to reconstruction of the house was allowed. He also claimed £4,000 compensation for the loss of the contents of the house. It was suggested by a State solicitor that he should receive £2,000 instead, and his own solicitor, a shrewd man, asked him to accept the sum, which he did, being thankful that it was no worse. With regard to land purchase, he said that this was a question which could not be pushed aside, but must be fully examined by some competent authority.

GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSALS.

The Marquess of Salisbury stated the exact form of the suggestions which the Government was prepared to make. Reference had been made to a suggestion which was made in the previous debate, that representatives of the loyalists in that House should confer with representatives of the Government with the view of helping the loyalists as far as possible. The difficulties in the way of a formal committee such as Lord Selborne had proposed were considerable. If two or three noble lords, representing Lord Selborne, and the Duke of Northumberland would consent to join members representing the Government in an informal committee, the Government would welcome that. As to procedure, they would be glad to take into consideration any suggestion that might be put forward, the idea of the Government being that the committee should sift a certain number of typical cases.

They suggested that the cases might be divided into three categories—viz., (1) cases covered by the Free State Act in which the compensation awarded was considered inequitable; (2) cases in which compensation had been awarded, but undue delay had occurred or improper deductions had been made in respect to income tax; (3) cases not covered by the Free State Act.

They would leave the selection of the cases entirely to the noble lord, and, having sifted the cases, they might be able to agree as to the limits of what was possible and what was not possible in the treatment of them. Although, of course, he could not commit the Government at this stage, they would give the fullest and most sympathetic consideration to the representations made by the committee.

LORD SELBORNE'S RESERVATION.

The Earl of Selborne agreed to the adjournment of the debate on this understanding, but he reserved the right to leave himself absolutely free to renew the discussion at a later date if he deemed it necessary. He suggested, therefore, that the debate should be adjourned indefinitely.

Lord Haldane said that if a proposal such as that suggested by the Earl of Selborne had been put forward in Australia or Canada it would have been strongly resented.

Earl Beauchamp approved of the Government's suggestion, and hoped that it would be successful, and would lead to a settlement of a question which had caused a great deal of ill-feeling among certain people in England in regard to Ireland.

The Earl of Mayo said that Ireland now was a peaceful country, and there was little ground for digging up the troubles of the past. He had had it from the authorities in Dublin, with whom he had communicated, that they would take no part in negotiations of the kind suggested, nor would they afford witnesses. They considered that the Wood-Renton Commission was a perfectly fair one, and they did not wish that the whole question should be brought up again.

LAND PURCHASE.

Replying to Lord Oranmore and Browne, the Lord Chancellor said that the Government did not repudiate any of their pledges on the subject of land purchase. They thought it undesirable, however, that the important subject raised in the main part of the debate should be complicated by adding the difficult question of land purchase, and it was not intended that the informal committee should go into that question.

The debate was then adjourned.

A REAL "BEST MAN."

POLICE SERGEANT AND CUPID.

A young woman, aged 19, in service at a Worthing (Sussex) hotel, found an unexpected friend in a police sergeant who had to arrest her yesterday on a charge of theft. Learning on his arrival at the police station that the girl was to be married later in the afternoon, the sergeant, with the full concurrence of his superintendent, went off on his motor cycle to arrange with a local magistrate and the magistrate's clerk to hold a special sitting of the Police Court. Returning to the station, the sergeant conveyed the accused girl in his sidecar to the Town Hall, where she was formally remanded on her own recognisances for eight days.

Not content with this hustling of magisterial procedure, the sergeant then conveyed the woman in his sidecar back to the hotel in time for her to make a hurried change of dress and leave for the church for her wedding, as originally arranged, all in the space of less than three hours.

Reports are current in banking circles in New York that an Australian loan of £15,000,000 will be offered there in a few days.

INJURED WORKMEN.

DEFECT IN COMPENSATION ACT.

COMMITTEE'S INQUIRY.

The Committee appointed by the Free State Ministry for Industry and Commerce to inquire into the present system of the payment of compensation to workers for injuries sustained in the course of their employment, held its first sitting yesterday at the offices of the Department, Lord Edward street, Dublin.

The Committee consists of Mr. Alfred Dickie, K.C. (Chairman); Sir W. Wheeler, Senator Foran, Messrs. J. C. M. Eason, G. V. Perry, W. H. Morton, Thomas Irwin, R. J. P. Mortished, W. A. R. Cruise and J. Harold Aylward.

The Committee has to consider and report whether any amendments or alterations in the law or administration of workmen's compensation are necessary.

SAILORS AND FIREMEN.

The Chairman mentioned that since the signing of the Treaty the Workmen's Compensation Act had been amended, so far as Great Britain and Northern Ireland were concerned, but it had not been altered in the Free State.

The principal difficulty affected Free State sailors and firemen and workers employed on British ships. The legal position had been decided recently in the Supreme Court of the Free State, the effect being that a workman in the Free State who was employed on a British ship could not sue for compensation in the Free State, but must take proceedings in England.

Complaints had been made that British insurance companies had, since the 1st January, 1924, been repudiating liability for payment of compensation to certain Irish Free State migratory labourers who returned to the Free State after being injured in the course of employment in Great Britain. That was explained by the British Act of 1923, which excluded the Free State from the term "United Kingdom."

CONVENTIONS.

A disabled Free State workman employed in Great Britain or Northern Ireland was, on returning home, deprived of his weekly payment, unless the medical referee certified that his incapacity was likely to be permanent. A solution of such difficulties might be found in the adoption of a convention between the Free State and the countries concerned. In that connection it was well for them to note the text of the draft convention and recommendation adopted this year by the International Labour Conference on the subject of equality of treatment for national and foreign workers in regard to compensation for accidents.

The Chairman next indicated the headings of the work before the Committee, and said that they would have the benefit of the evidence of Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessey and Mr. Justice Hanna, who had wide experience of workmen's compensation, and, perhaps, also Judge Dromgoole and Judge Doyle. He would urge anyone interested to come before the Committee so that their recommendations for legislation might be complete.

EVIDENCE OPENED.

Mr. R. C. Ferguson, who gave evidence on behalf of the Department of Industry and Commerce, outlined the history of workmen's compensation enactments in the British Isles, and defined the liability of the employer for payment of compensation to an injured workman or his dependents. Under the Act of 1906 and the Amending Acts there was no provision for medical benefit other than such treatment which the injured workman might provide out of his compensation.

Provision was made under Section II. of the National Health Insurance Act of 1911 by which a disabled worker receiving, or entitled to receive, compensation would, at the same time, be eligible for sickness or disablement benefit under the National Health Insurance Act in respect of the same injury or disease. There was no change in the British Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923, as regards medical benefit. In conclusion, witness gave an exhaustive analysis of the proceedings at the International Labour Conference at Geneva last month.

The Committee adjourned until September 23rd next.

PETROL PUMP FEES.

BLACKROCK SURPRISED.

A communication from the Minister for Local Government was read at the Blackrock Urban Council last night, directing that the fees, received as rent for public petrol pumps, which had hitherto been applied to the reduction of the rates, should in future be paid into the roads fund. The Council was directed to forward these rents to the County Council to be paid into the motor taxation account.

Mr. McCabe said that the principle of this thing was monstrous. The Ministry had no right to do this, as the Council was the local road authority.

The matter was referred to the Finance Committee and it was explained that there were only two pumps in the district, for which the rents were £3 each.

The Chairman stated that a deputation had waited on the Ministry for Local Government with a view to securing a Government grant, to enable the Council to undertake certain improvement schemes. They were courteously received, but informed that there was no money actually available at present, but in the near future money would be available, and the Blackrock Council would receive its due proportion.

Lunch Time!

How charming the table looks! How light and delicate is the Summer fare — fish mould with salad: cold fish with mayonnaise: a dainty omelette or perhaps a macaroni cheese instead of meat.

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IRISH CATTLE TRADE.

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simply been awaiting word as to the result of the negotiations of the Cattle Trade Committee with the railway directors in respect to the site for a lairage.

"It is a matter of deep regret to me," Mr. Harrington concluded, "that so much time and effort should have been expended with the unfortunate result now presented."

The opinion was expressed by those present at the meeting that there was no suitable site available, except one on the twenty two acres, the property of the Great Southern Railways Company.

There were present:—Senator John Counihan, Messrs. Edward S. Harrington, Dunloe Castle, Killarney; John Cassidy, Chairman of the Irish Lairage Committee; Cornelius Crowley, Cork; and Mr. M. F. O'Hanlon, hon. secretary of the Irish Lairage Committee.

THE LAIRAGE PROJECT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I see that my name appears in your report of the committee meeting in connection with the proposed Irish Lairage and Shipping Company. I was not at that meeting, nor do I approve of the terms of the resolution passed thereat in so far as it has reference to the action of the directors of the Great Southern Railway. In my opinion they met us as fairly as their circumstances would permit.—Yours, etc., JOHN LEONARD.

Culmullen, Drumree, July 15th, 1925.

LOUD SPEAKERS FOR THE FREE STATE.

IMPUDENT FRAUD IN LONDON.

At the Tower Bridge Police Court, London, yesterday, before Mr. Tassell, Thomas Francis Fincane (42), 7 Hendon Park Villas, Golders Green, was charged on remand with obtaining a quantity of wireless apparatus and money by false pretences, and with intent to defraud. The prisoner, who was described as a lecturer, is also said to be known in the name of Francis.

Detective Sergeant Tanner, who had arrested the prisoner on two charges of fraudulently obtaining loud speakers from Messrs. Saxton Barnes and Company, engineers, 61 Boro' road, Southwark, and £3 15s. 6d. cash from the manager of that firm, said that there were five other charges, which could now be proved if necessary.

The evidence at the last hearing showed that the prisoner had represented himself as Chief Inspector of Electrical Equipment for the Irish Free State, and had so obtained these instruments and parts for the alleged purposes of tests, afterwards disposing of them for what he could get.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to the first two charges, and the third, of obtaining money falsely, by pretending that he could get cigarettes wholesale, was not proceeded with.

Thomas Joseph Kiernan, Secretary in the offices of the Irish Free State Commission, York House, Regent street, said that he did not know the prisoner, who had no authority to buy for the Irish Free State.

Prisoner—Is not it right that the Irish Free State is going to take entire control of broadcasting in Ireland on account of some scandal eighteen months ago?

Witness—I cannot say.

Prisoner—Do you know a man named Kelly, Postmaster-General for the Irish Free State?

Witness—I do not know a Postmaster-General with that name.

Prisoner (to the magistrate)—All this is in mitigation. I thought that with my knowledge of wireless that if I could make some useful suggestions to the Irish authorities I might get a position.

Detective Sergeant Tanner said that the prisoner had been living by his wits for several years.

Mr. Tassell—You have been charged in three cases of false pretences, and two have been proved, while there are five others which could have been preferred. You will go to prison for three months on each of two charges, the terms to run consecutively.

REJECTED ORPHANS.

DONEGAL SOCIETY'S NEED OF FUNDS.

Through lack of funds Donegal Protestant Orphan Society has been obliged to reject half the number of applications received for admission.

The sixty-seventh yearly report, which came before the annual meeting of the Society on Tuesday, states that the income was insufficient to meet the expenditure, owing to diminished receipts from card collections, offertories and subscriptions, and also to the large number of orphans added to the Society's roll during the past year. Unfortunately, the number of applications for admission of orphans continued to increase. For many years past almost every eligible orphan, and certainly every destitute orphan, seeking admission to the benefits of the Society was elected, but the Committee, much to their regret, could not continue this policy unless the subscribers and parishes enabled them to do so by supplying the necessary funds.

There were at present eighty-two orphans on the roll of the Society. For the maintenance and clothing of these orphans £820 would be required during the coming year. To this sum must be added the working expenses, which, on an average, amounted to £50 per annum, making a total estimated expenditure of £870.

The total amount received from the parishes in card collections, offertories and subscriptions amounted to £474 15s. 9d., or almost £50 less than the average amount received during the past ten years. The dividend on invested capital amounted to £176 15s. 4d. The total income for the past year from all sources amounted to £687 14s. 5d., which was less than the estimated expenditure of the current year by about £183.

The Committee, therefore, was obliged to remove one out of every two names from the list of applications until such time as the balance of income and expenditure would be adjusted.

The Bishop of Derry and Raphoe, who presided, moved the adoption of the report. Owing to the state of the finances, he said, the Committee had had to call a halt in the election of orphans. They had had eleven applications for admission of orphans before them that morning, but all of them had to be turned down through lack of funds. He trusted that the Church people of Donegal would show increased liberality in the coming year, so that the splendid work of the Society would not be handicapped.

The motion was passed.

MAN'S MANY ALIASES.

FIRST CONVICTION IN 1868.

A man giving the name of John Kelly, who said that he was born in Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, was found guilty at Armagh yesterday of attempting to steal from a person unknown. Police saw the defendant put his hand in a man's pocket at the Portadown Agricultural Show. He was found to be in possession of £4, and said that he had been selling fruit at the show. He denied that he had attempted to pick pockets.

The defendant was first convicted in 1868, and had been sentenced to various terms of imprisonment, including two periods of seven years' penal servitude, since that date. He had appeared at Blackpool, Bolton, Chester, Douglas, Dublin, Glasgow, Leeds, Manchester, Portadown, Waterford and Belfast, and at various stages of his career had been known as Thomas Adams, George Davis, George Edwards, John Fox, William Howard, Michael Kelly, John Morton, and John Murphy. The police said that they knew nothing of his movements since 1915.

He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment, with hard labour.

AUSTRALIAN SHIPPING TROUBLE

MELBOURNE, Thursday.

Several additional steamers have been laid up. Business men in the various States are alarmed at the effect that the strike is likely to have on inter-State business. The Senate and House of Representatives are sitting all night long, the Senate discussing the bill giving the Government power to suspend the coastal provisions of the Navigation Act, the Representatives discussing the Immigration Amendment Bill. The Labour Party are hotly opposing both measures.—(Reuter.)

PERSONALITIES.

SCENE AT CORK HARBOUR BOARD.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

CORK, Wednesday.

There was a heated discussion at a meeting of the Cork Harbour Board this evening, in connection with the appointment of an assistant engineer.

The agenda contained notice of the following motion by Senator Haughton:—"That Standing Orders be suspended and that the resolution of the Board of July 1st, appointing Mr. F. O'C. Saunders to the position of assistant engineer to Mr. Price be rescinded, as it has been shown that Mr. Saunders was not qualified for the position, either by examination or under the terms of the advertisement."

The Chairman (Mr. Horgan, solicitor) said that he would like to express his opinion on the motion.

Senator Haughton said that the Chairman should not do so, as he intended to postpone the motion.

The Chairman ruled the motion out of order. It could not be postponed, he said, without the permission of the Board.

Mr. Daly moved, and Mr. Horne seconded, that permission be not given to postpone or withdraw the motion.

After some discussion, Senator Haughton said that he would withdraw the motion.

Mr. Daly—We have had snap divisions here and sermons have been preached to us, and Haughton, this prince of hypocrites, now comes along——

Sir J. Scott—Shame; shame. That remark should be withdrawn.

Mr. Daly—I stand by what I say. This prince of hypocrites states that the man who was elected to the position was not qualified, and ——

A PROTEST.

Sir J. Scott—I will not listen to any colleague being insulted in this fashion, and I call for the withdrawal of these expressions.

Mr. Daly—This man, Haughton, last December, notwithstanding——

Sir J. Scott—You ought to have respect for the Board, sir. You should withdraw.

The Chairman—Are you Chairman or am I, Sir John?

Sir J. Scott—You are no Chairman and you should come out of the chair, because you have failed to do your duty.

The Chairman said that he would conduct proceedings in a proper manner.

Sir J. Scott—You have not done your duty as Chairman.

Senator Haughton said that he would like an explanation from Mr. Daly about the unworthy insinuations that had been made about himself.

Mr. Daly—I will tell you all about it. On December 17th, 1924, notwithstanding the recommendation of the secretary and general manager, the Chairman and the engineer, this man, Haughton, was instrumental in appointing an unqualified man to the yard as superintendent. On that occasion he voted against the views of the secretary and manager, the Chairman and engineer. He now has the cheek to come here and——

Senator Haughton—With regard to that matter——

Mr. Daly—You did that and you have the impudence to come here to tell the majority of the Board that——

Senator Haughton—Is it in order to discuss a matter that is not before the Board?

The Chairman said that Mr. Daly was entitled to refer to former occurrences or a decision of the Board.

Senator Haughton—But there is no motion before you.

THE RULING.

The Chairman said that Mr. Daly was entitled to speak on the matter and he could not prevent him from speaking on it.

Sir J. Scott—He is not entitled to speak when there is nothing before the Board.

Mr. Daly—I am one of the majority who elected Mr. Saunders to this position, and I believe that he is fully qualified for that position. We believe that. Why does this man Haughton allege that he is not qualified? Notwithstanding what is said by him about the terms of the advertisement, I say that he is qualified.

Sir J. Scott—This must not be allowed. It is not before us.

Mr. Daly—Mr. Haughton is preaching about this; but what was his action at the North Infirmary yesterday?

Senator Haughton—This does not arise, and the North Infirmary is not before us.

Mr. Daly—Yesterday at the North Infirmary this matter was referred to, and I now deal with Mr. Haughton's action at that meeting. Notwithstanding the views of Professor Pearson on the election of a doctor, Mr. Haughton voted against that advice, which was the advice of Professor Pearson's profession. This man Haughton is nothing but a common humbug.

CALL TO ORDER.

The Chairman—Mr. Daly, I think it is desirable that you should not use such words.

Mr. Daly—Another member of the Board has also preached to you, Mr. Chairman. He said that what you did a short time ago was a trick unworthy of a country attorney. That man came here last week and handed in a notice of motion for the purpose of a snap division on a matter dealt with by the Board. I say that when a majority of the members carry a motion that ought to be the beginning and end of it.

Sir J. Scott—We now have enough of it.

Mr. Daly—I make that protest against that man, and also against this man Haughton, for handing in such a motion and indulging in such tactics and disturbing the Board, especially when we acted in a legal manner and appointed a qualified man.

The Chairman said that he had to rule the matter out, and he would adjourn the meeting.

TOURIST DEVELOPMENT.

FIRST MEETING OF NEW IRISH BODY.

The Incorporation of the new Irish Tourist Association formed under Government auspices some months ago was completed during the past few days, and the first statutory meeting was held on Wednesday last at the Association's offices, Westland row, Dublin. Mr. Howard S. Harrington, M.A., Dunloe Castle, Killarney, was elected first president, and the following were elected as vice-presidents:—Dr. William Lombard Murphy, Dublin; Mr. J. C. Foley, Cork, vice-president, Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Irish Free State; and Mr. Martin McDonagh, Galway.

A special department of the Association, it was announced, was being set up to provide facilities such as those offered by touring clubs in foreign countries, and associateship of this department would entail a minimum subscription of 5s. per annum. A monthly official organ, entitled "Irish Travel," was to be undertaken immediately, and it was hoped to have the first issue ready for Horse Show week.

As a result of the decision of the Dublin and Cork Commissioners to spend their advertising funds through the Association, a large sum of money was at its disposal for immediate expenditure. A contribution of £300 from Messrs. Arthur Guinness and Company was received during the last few days, and there had been numerous other substantial subscriptions towards the administration funds of the Association.

The new Executive gave detailed consideration to the question of publicity, and decided to undertake immediate expenditure on valuable publicity mediums, whose effect would be felt both in the remainder of the present season and during the 1926 season.

Attention was drawn to the prevalence of beggars at seaside resorts, and various remedies for dealing with the matter were discussed. The Secretary reported that representations had been made to the Minister for Home Affairs suggesting that Peace Commissioners should be given power to deal with this nuisance summarily under the Vagrancy Act as Justices of the Peace under the old *régime* were allowed to do. An important report was submitted regarding arrival and departure of visitors at Free State ports, and a number of remedies for present grievances were suggested.

It was decided to bring the matters referred to before the Government Departments interested.

A great fire broke out yesterday on the moors of the Berwyn Range between Corwen and Llangollen. The fire spread over many acres, destroying grouse and other game.

ROYAL BANK CLERKSHIPS.
Examination announced for Oct. 6. Candidates should note that at the last examination 11 appointments were gained by pupils of Rosse College, Stephen's Green. 7 Successes at previous examination.—(Advt.)

LAND OF LIVING HORRORS.

WORLD'S MOST GHASTLY JUNGLE.

THE UNKNOWN BRITISH HONDURAS.

Reuter's Agency is informed that Mr. F. A. Mitchell Hedges, the well-known explorer, who, together with Lady Richmond Brown and Doctor Gann, the archæologist, has lately been conducting explorations in the British Honduras, is to-day cabling Lady Richmond Brown to return immediately to England.

Mr. Mitchell Hedges and Doctor Gann had arranged to start on a new expedition next month and to rejoin Lady Richmond Brown, who is on the site of the excavations, but, owing to an offer of the largest scientific body in the United States to take over and continue the whole of their scientific work, it has now become necessary for the explorers to confer as to the acceptance of the offer.

Describing the utterly unknown conditions in this region, Mr. Mitchell Hedges said: For over a thousand and more miles north-west lies the dreaded Peten Bush, in vast areas of which no white foot has ever yet penetrated. Adjoining, and actually part of, this unknown territory is the country wherein dwell the Lacandone Indians, while still north again of this tribe is the land of the Santa Cruz Indians, the most bloodthirsty race in the world, and into which country no outsider has ever yet been to this day. Its interior is a land of mystery, though awful and fearful are the legends and tales one hears of the bloodthirsty sacrifices and horrible atrocities committed by these morose and sullen people. Within the fastnesses of this jungle anything might still lie hidden. It would not surprise me if tribes dwelt within that are still in the Stone Age.

The heat is terrific in this region, and it is infested with many of the most deadly and noxious insects ever discovered. The action of one fly in particular, which enters the nose and deposits its eggs there while the victim is asleep, is followed by appalling results. The eggs hatch out in the nose and the maggot larvae completely eat away the membrane and the roof of the mouth. Death is inevitable; there is no escape. It is agreed that this is the most terrible and ghastly jungle in the world, both from the climatic point of view and the living horrors it contains.

In the event of an acceptance of the American offer the three British explorers will, of course, superintend the work themselves.

BATTLE FOR MONAGHAN RECALLED.

FURTHER CHARGES OF RAIDS ON BANKS.

At Monaghan Circuit Court yesterday the Attorney-General put forward bills of indictment against Patrick Kelly and Bernard Treanor, who were charged with the robbery of £333 from the Monaghan branch of the Provincial Bank. Kelly was further charged with receiving two ten pound notes, the property of the Provincial Bank, knowing them to have been stolen; and both were further charged with robbery under arms of £1,546 from the local branch of the Ulster Bank. An application by the State that the trial should take place in Dublin was granted, and the men were released on bail of £500 and two sureties of £250 each.

These charges arise out of a raid by Irregulars on Monaghan in 1922, when banks are alleged to have been robbed. The defendants were tried a year ago on charges of robbery under arms of money from the Monaghan branch of the Hibernian Bank. They were convicted at the Central Criminal Court, but the Court of Appeal quashed the conviction and the men were discharged.

It was pleaded on behalf of the defendants yesterday that further proceedings were barred. The judge said that that point could be raised at the trial.

SEED POTATOES AND DISEASE.

DEMONSTRATION AT ALBERT MODEL FARM.

At the Albert Model Farm, Glasnevin, yesterday a party of thirty-five seed potato growers from the Athlone district witnessed an interesting series of experiments by Dr. P. A. Murphy, Pathologist to the Department of Agriculture, in regard to certain potato diseases, including mosaic and leaf roll. Dr. Murphy explained that the effect of these diseases was to reduce the vigour and yield of the plants by amounts varying from a quarter to two-thirds of the normal yield of a healthy crop. More important was the fact that the product of the diseased plants was, itself, diseased, and its cropping power was impaired to the same extent as that of the parent crop.

The experiments demonstrated the manner in which the diseases are spread by insects, and methods of control were indicated. These preventive methods involved the isolation of healthy plants and digging early.

The visitors showed great interest in the demonstration, and a short discussion followed.

Professor J. P. Drew said that he was pleased to see that so many farmers were taking an intelligent interest in seed-potato growing. He added that he would do all in his power to bring the merits of the seed before the farmers with whom he came into contact.

Mr. Herbert H. Cox, of the New Jersey Agricultural Experimental Station, dwelt on the advances made by American seed potato growers in recent years through attention to the elimination of disease, and outlined the rules governing seed-potato certification in the United States of America.

Mr. W. D. Davidson, Department of Agriculture, announced that a large number of Athlone potato-growers had each given five cwt. of seed potatoes, which the Department of Agriculture was arranging to distribute, free of cost, in England. In this way they hoped to let English growers see the quality of the seed produced in Athlone.

The visitors were afterwards entertained to tea by the College authorities.

FATAL QUARRY ACCIDENT.

BALLINA WIDOW AWARDED £75.

At Rawtenstall County Court, Lancashire, on Tuesday, application was made to Judge Bradley for compensation to be paid to Mrs. Bridget Durkan, widow, aged 65, of Graffey, Attymass, Ballina, County Mayo, and her daughter, Kate Durkan, aged 24, as dependants of John Durkan, quarryman, son of Bridget Durkan.

Evidence showed that John Durkan worked for some years at Ratcliffe's Lee Quarries, Bacup, and died on October 5, 1923, from injuries sustained while at work, some rock falling upon him and fracturing his spine. He had sent £20 in nine months for the maintenance of his mother and sister.

Kate Durkan, in evidence, stated that she and her mother had no other source of income.

Mr. Waddington, for the respondents, the executors of T. Ratcliffe, quarry owner, contended that as the money sent by deceased was insufficient to keep the mother and her daughter, they could only be said to be partially, if at all, dependent on the man's earnings. They had a farm, and the daughter could have worked as a domestic servant.

His Honour found that there was partial dependency on the part of the mother, but no dependency in regard to her daughter, and he awarded Mrs. Durkan £75, with costs on scale B, less £17 16s. paid for funeral expenses by the respondents.

TWO DEAD IN GAS-FILLED ROOM.

A double tragedy in Lambeth, London, was brought to light yesterday afternoon, when a butcher and his wife were discovered dead in a gas-filled room at their premises in Lambeth Walk.

The man failed to open his shop as usual yesterday morning, and neighbours informed the police, who entered the house and discovered both the man and his wife lying dead in the kitchen. The room was filled with gas.

U.S. MARKETS.

STRONG CLOSING OF STOCKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

Stocks opened firm, and a resumption of the advancing movement, under the leadership of pivotal Industrials—notably, American U.S. Steel Common and Baldwin Locomotive—was accentuated by pool operations elsewhere. American-Canadian touched 201—a "record." Rubbers were buoyant, reflecting the fluctuations in London and Amsterdam and the rally in crude here. Revived popularity for public utilities and merger reports concerning minor Railroads were stimulating factors. U.S. Cast Iron Pipe Preferred rose 9 points and other inactives 3 to 5 points. The market closed strong. Government Bonds and Railroad Bonds irregular. The day's sales totalled 1,420,000 shares.

Money on call closed easy at 3½ p.c. bid and 4 p.c. asked. Business during the day ranged from 3½ to 4 p.c., with the ruling rate at the top figure. The last loan was made at 3½ p.c. Sterling exchange steady. Silver ⅛c. higher at 69⅛.

During this week silver to the value of 833,000 dollars has been consigned to India.

	Wed.	Tues.
Call Money	3½b 4a.	4b. 4½a
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.81⅞	4.81⅞
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.85⅜	4.85⅜
Cable Transfers	4.85⅝	4.85⅝
Do. Montreal	4.85⅞	4.85⅞
Exchange—Paris, cable	4.72½	4.69¼

Eng. Parity	STOCKS	Closing Bid Prices. Wed.	Business Done. Tues.
105⅞	U.S. Funded	102⅛	102⅛
122⅜	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	119⅛	119⅜
99	Do. Preference	96⅜	96⅜
80⅝	Baltimore and Ohio	78⅜	77⅞
146⅛	Canadian Pacific	142	142
8½	Chic., Mil., and St. Paul	8	7⅝
64⅛	Chicago and N.-West	62⅛	62⅜
28⅜	Erie Shares	27⅜	27⅜
38⅜	Erie 1st Preferred	37⅛	37⅛
117⅜	Illinois Central	114	113⅞
114⅛	Louisville and Nashville	111	114½
34	Missouri, Kan., and Texas	33	33
36	Missouri Pacific New	35	34⅝
120⅞	N.Y. Cil. and Hudson R.	117⅛	117⅜
131⅝	Norfolk and West Com.	128⅛	128
67⅛	Northern Pacific Com.	65⅞	65⅞
47⅝	Pennsylvania Shares	46⅜	46⅜
90	Reading Shares	88	86⅝
40⅜	Do. Preferred	39⅝	39⅝
100⅛	Southern Railway	97⅛	97⅛
101⅛	Southern Pacific	98⅞	98⅞
143⅛	Union Pacific	139⅛	139
77⅛	Do. Pref.	75	75⅞
108⅜	American Smelt. and Refining	105⅛	105⅛
44⅛	Anaconda Copper	42⅛	41⅞
26⅛	British-American Tobacco Ord.	25⅛	25⅛
90	New York Consolidated Gas	87⅜	87⅞
285⅛	General Electric	287	286⅞
153⅛	National Lead	149	148⅛
121	United States Steel Common	117⅛	115⅞
128⅜	Do. Pref.	124⅛	124⅛
43⅜	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	42⅛	42⅜
—	Silver Commercial Bars	69⅛	69⅜
88⅝	General Motors (New)	83⅜	83⅜
8⅞	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	8⅛	8⅛
31⅛	Do. Pref. Certs.	31	31⅛
44⅛	Shell Ordinary	43	42⅜
77⅛	Pan-American Petroleum Ord.	75⅛	75⅛
24⅛	Anglo-American Oil	23⅛	23⅛
24⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	23⅛	23⅛
65⅛	U.S. Rubber	50⅛	50⅛
205⅛	American Can	199⅛	196⅜
25⅛	International Pet. of Canada	25⅛	25⅛
	BONDS.		
92⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	90	90⅛
64⅛	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	62⅛	62
95⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	92⅛	92
108⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort. 5% Bonds	105⅛	105⅛
120⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds, 1929	116⅛	116⅛
107⅛	Do Do 1937	104⅛	104⅛
99⅛	7 p.c. German Loan	96⅛	96⅛

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex interest. § Ex rights.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT easy, ½c. to 2½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	172⅞	173⅞
No. 2 Red Winter, spot (new)	170⅛	172⅛
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	167⅛	170⅛
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	179⅞	181⅞

Sales for export—Nil.

RYE easy, 1½c. cheaper. No. 2 spot, 112½.

Sales for export—Nil.

BARLEY barely steady, ½c. lower. American malting, 100.

MAIZE easy, 2½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	121⅞	124

Sales for export—Nil.

LARD steady, 10 points up. Prime Western steam, 18.30; Middle West, 18.10 to 18.20.

FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent.—7.50 to 8.00.

FREIGHTS.

Heavy grain to Great Britain, per qr.—1/6-2/-

Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs.—11c.-16c

Cotton—High density, to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—30c.

Cotton—Standard bales, to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—45c.

PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	16.40	16.40
Standard White in barrels	13.00	13.00
Do. Philadelphia	13.00	13.00
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	3.45-3.90	3.45-3.90

RUBBER strong; few sellers. First latex crepe, 107½ buyers, 108 sellers; smoked ribbed sheets, 109½ buyers, 111 sellers.

BURLAPS firm. Hessian cloth—Light-weight, 7.90; heavy-weight, 10.30.

COFFEE—

Futures—Options—	July.	Sept.	Oct.
To-day	18.80	16.30	15.40
Prev. day	19.75	16.09	15.15
	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May

	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May
To-day	14.40	13.80	13.25	12.74
Prev. day	14.10	13.50	13.11	12.60

SUGAR steady, 2 to 6 points higher. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady, 3 points up; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.27. Approximate day's sales—33,000 tons.

Options—	July.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.
To-day	2.47	2.62	2.75	2.77	2.84
Prev. day	2.45	2.57	2.71	2.72	2.78

Sugar sales—5,000 bags of Cuban at 4.27 for prompt shipment; 25,000 bags of Cuban at 4.27 for shipment latter half of July, and 5,000 bags of Cuban at 4.30 for shipment first half of August.

TALLOW steady. Extra loose, 9½.

TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 97; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 90½ to 91.

METALS—Tin easy, 37½ to 50 points lower; spot, 58.00; future option, 57.87½. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady at 8.17½. Zinc steady, 2½ points up; East St. Louis spot, 7.20. Iron steady; No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 19.50 to 20.00. Electrolytic Copper steady; spot, 14½; futures, 14½. Bessemer Steel Rails, 43.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened steady, ⅛c. down to ⅛c. up, and closed barely steady, ⅛c. to 1½c. lower. Opening options—July, 163⅜; October, 141. Closing options—July, 163⅞; October, 139½. Rye easy, ½c. to 1½c. lower. Closing options—July, 98; October, 97. Oats firm, 1½c. to ⅛c. up. Closing options—July, 56½; October, 49½. Barley steady, ½c. up to ½c. down. Closing options—July, 59½; October, 76. Flaxseed easy at 3c. fall. Closing option—July, 224½.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	19	71
No. 2 Northern	25	72
No. 3 Northern	24	74
No. 4 Northern	13	75
Other grades	37	122
Total	118	414

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, but 10 to 14 points lower, and the closing was barely steady, 34 to 49 points down. Spot quiet at 30 points loss. New Orleans spot 45 points lower.

Spot middling upland at New York—24.65.

Spot middling upland at New Orleans—23.90.

Receipts—Atlantic ports, 2,000 bales; Gulf, 2,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 1,000. Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, 1,000 bales; Japan, nil.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Wednesday.

WHEAT opened easy, 1½c. to ⅛c. lower, on predictions of cooler weather and consequent realising. A rally took place afterwards, due to small country offerings, firmer Liverpool cables and bull support, but prices weakened again owing to reports of better weather in the South-West, weakness at Minneapolis, and the poor demand for export and by outsiders. The market closed easy, 2½c. to 1½c. down. Spot nominal.

	To-day.	Prev. day.	
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	—	—	
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	—	—	
Futures—Opening options—		July.	Sept.
To-day		156	153⅛
Prev. day		154	152⅛
Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	154⅛	151⅞	152⅜
Prev. day	157⅛	153⅛	154⅞

	To-day.	Same day last year	This season.	Last season.
Receipts (W.)	1,109	1,357	16,013	13,159

(In thousands of bushels.)

MAIZE opened steady, unchanged to ⅛c. lower, and closed easy at 1⅛c. reduction.

		To-day.	Prev. day
Spot No. 2 mixed		108⅛	111
Futures—Opening options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	106⅜	108⅛	—
Prev. day	107	108⅛	—
Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	105	106⅛	88
Prev. day	106⅛	108⅛	89⅛

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts (W.)	237	445	4,216	7,288

(In thousands of bushels.)

OATS easy, ½c. to ⅛c. cheaper.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	44⅜	46⅛	48⅜
Prev. day	45⅛	47⅛	49⅛

RYE—Futures irregular, unchanged to 1½c. down. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	98	100	103⅛
Prev. day	98	101⅛	105

PROVISIONS opened steady Lard rose owing to the firmness of hogs, light receipts, scarcity of offerings, covering of shorts and a fair cash demand, but ribs declined under light liquidation and a scarcity of buyers. The market closed firm, with lard 7½ to 12½ points dearer, but with ribs 30 to 20 points lower. Lard—Spot, 17.50.

Lard—Closing options	July	Sept.	Oct
To-day	17.47½	17.65	17.62½
Prev. day	17.40	17.52½	17.55
Ribs—Closing options—	July.	Sept.	Oct.
To-day	18.50	18.70	—
Prev. day	18.80	18.90	—

BACON easy at 30 points decline.

Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average)—18.50.

HOGS firm. Light are 10 to 20 and heavy descriptions 15 points up. Light hogs, 13.50 to 14.50; heavy hogs, 13.50 to 14.40.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	97,000	130,000
Chicago	18,000	23,000

Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since the 1st of March total (amended) 10,958,000, against 14,183,000 same season last year.

LAWN TENNIS

AUSTRALIAN LADIES v. IRELAND.

For the third day in the championship week, the international element dominated the play at Fitzwilliam Club yesterday. During the morning some of the arrears of the championship events were worked off, leaving the afternoon free for the meeting of the Australian and Irish ladies' teams.

From an Irish point of view, the four matches played—two Singles and two Doubles—were disappointing, but only from this viewpoint. The tennis throughout was intensely interesting, and showed in what way the home game must be speeded up. All four matches yesterday proved that the baseline player pure and simple has little or no chance against an all-court game. Australia won, and won on her merits, proving that her showing against the pick of England, when she lost on a 3-5 score, was no flash in the pan.

Taking the matches in order, the Singles were first in court, Miss E. Boyd, who holds the Australian championship, opposing Miss M. H. Wallis; while Miss E. Akhurst faced Mrs. Blair White on No. 2 court. The match between the former pair was much more keenly fought than the score would indicate. As usual, Miss Wallis had the length of the court, and her placing was very accurate; but her opponent proved just as steady and a shade more accurate in the longer rallies. Her real strength became apparent when she went into the net, and there was little doubt of the ace when she got in to volley a weak return. Miss Wallis started well, taking the first and second games, but then Miss Boyd got into her stride and, winning game after game, took the first set at 6-3. After winning her first service game in the second, Miss Wallis failed to counter a severe and varied attack, and Australia went out for the first match in the seventh game.

Meantime Mrs. Blair White had been fighting hard on court 2 against an opponent who showed remarkable speed about the court, and who time and again got back shots which should have been winners. The result was that Mrs. Blair White's length suffered, and the all-court game gave Australia another match at 6-3, 6-3.

In both the Doubles the extra playing power of the visitors, shown in their ability to close in to the net and volley with deadly effect, quite turned the scale, and Mrs. Harper and Miss Akhurst put Australia 3 up by beating Miss Wallis and Miss Haughton in straight sets for the loss of four games.

The second Doubles match, Mrs. Blair-White and Miss N. Stoker v. Miss Boyd and Miss St. George, was closer, but even here the greater power of the visitors was very apparent. Mrs. Blair-White was hitting a better length than in the Singles, and Miss Stoker showed better form at the net. She was volleying well, and put across quite a number of first-class lobs. Try as the Irish pair would, however, their formation of "one up and one back" was no match for "two up," and the Australians brought their total wins to four on a score of 6-4, 6-3.

As far as the Championships were concerned, it was a quiet day, but all the events were advanced, and the closing rounds are likely to furnish some keen matches. In the All-Comers' Singles, G. S. B. Mack appeared to be feeling the reaction from his matches on the previous day, and failed to hold the severely accurate attack of C. F. Scroope, and G. W. Scroope scored a runaway win against C. F. Montagu, qualifying to meet M. V. Summerson to-day. The last-named rather overwhelmed A. A. Luce, winning in straight sets for the loss of two games.

With the completion of the first round of the Doubles, prospects are becoming clearer, and it would not be surprising if the finalists turn out to be the English pair and the brothers Scroope.

Two of the best matches of the day were witnessed in the Mixed Doubles. V. Allman-Smith and Mrs. Harper played a close two-set match with C. F. Scroope and Miss M. Haughton before they came through at 7-5, 6-4. "Mr. and Mrs. Savannah" put up a wonderful fight against the English-Australian pair, M. V. Summerson and Miss St. George, and it was only in the final set, when the former pair tired to some extent, that the winners established any real superiority.

To-day's programme promises to be really interesting, the drawback being that spectators will have difficulty in choosing, so many good matches are listed at the same hour. The remaining four matches of the Australia-Ireland international are listed for two o'clock, and at the same hour the Men's Singles, third round, go into court. When the international has been completed the evening matches will include Miss Akhurst v. Miss H. Wallis, Mrs. Blair White v. Miss St. George, and Mrs. Harper v. Miss M. Haughton in the Ladies' Singles. A start will be made with the handicap events this afternoon—Ladies' Singles at 2 p.m., and Men's Singles at 4 p.m. Also the Fitzwilliam Plate opening round will be played at 4 p.m. Details:—

AUSTRALIA v. IRELAND (LADIES).

SINGLES.

Miss E. Boyd (Australia) beat Miss M. H. Wallis (Ireland)—6-3, 6-1.

Miss D. Akhurst (Australia) beat Mrs. P. Blair White (Ireland)—6-3, 6-3.

DOUBLES.

Mrs. Harper and Miss Akhurst beat Miss Wallis and Miss Haughton—6-1, 6-3.

Miss Boyd and Miss St. George beat Mrs. Blair White and Miss N. Stoker—6-4, 6-3.

ALL-COMERS' SINGLES.

First Round (concluded).

A. St. J. Mahony beat J. H. Daly—6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

Second Round.

C. F. Scroope beat G. S. B. Mack—6-2, 6-3, 6-1.

G. R. Sherwell beat H. Tyrrell-Smith—1-6, 7-5, 6-0, 2-6, 8-6.

G. W. Scroope, w.o.; J. W. Parkes, scr.

Third Round.

M. V. Summerson beat A. A. Luce—6-2, 6-1, 6-2.

G. W. Scroope beat C. F. Montagu—6-1, 6-0, 6-1.

ALL-COMERS' DOUBLES.

E. S. Hornidge and A. P. Barry beat F. J. McKeon and P. A. Ryan—5-7, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

C. W. and C. F. Scroope beat M. H. Toppin and C. S. Wallis—6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

G. S. B. Mack and E. A. McGuire beat C. J. O'Reilly and L. Martin—6-3, 6-2, 6-3.

G. R. Sherwell and M. V. Summerson beat T. V. Murphy and F. K. Patterson—6-0, 6-1, 6-2.

A. St. J. Mahony and L. A. Meldon beat J. F. Miley and V. Allman-Smith—6-1, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round.

C. F. Montagu and O. Plunkett beat E. S. Hornidge and A. P. Barry—6-2, 6-2, 4-6, 9-7.

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

First Round.

L. A. Meldon and Miss Lynch beat J. H. Lane and Mrs. Hillman Gray—4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Second Round.

V. Allman Smith and Mrs. Harper beat C. F. Scroope and Miss M. Haulton—7-5, 6-4.

M. V. Summerson and Miss St. George beat "Mr. and Mrs. Savannah"—6-3, 4-6, 6-0.

J. H. Daly and Mrs. Simonds beat L. A. Meldon and Miss Lynch—3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

G. S. B. Mack and Mrs Blair White beat O. Plunkett and Miss Cummins—6-2, 6-2.

BOYS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

First Round.

P. A. McDermott beat E. Barry—6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

Second Round.

N. J. Bailey beat P. A. McDermott—7-5, 7-5.

GIRLS' SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP.

Second Round.

Miss M. French beat Miss E. Kiernan—6-0, 6-3.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

11 o'c.—Miss Julian and Miss Cummins v. Misses M. and H. Haughton.

2 o'c.—G. W. Scroope v. M. V. Summerson; G. R. Sherwell v. E. A. Maguire; J. Monahan v. G. Perrin; N. T. Bailey v. E. Maynard; C. F. Scroope v. A. St. J. Mahony.

AUSTRALIA v. IRELAND.

2 o'c.—Court 1—Mrs. Harper v. Miss Haughton, followed by Mrs. Harper and Miss Akhurst v. Mrs. Blair White and Miss N. Stoker.

2 o'c.—Court 2—Miss St. George v. Miss N. Stoker, followed by Miss Boyd and Miss St. George v. Miss Wallis and Miss Haughton.

Ladies' Singles (handicap) and Men's Singles (handicap) start to-day at 2 o'c. and 4 o'c., respectively; Fitzwilliam Plate at 4 o'c. Competitors in foregoing to report to referee at these hours. All other competitors to report at 4 o'c.

ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN SCHOOL v. BELVEDERE COLLEGE.

In the final of the Schools' Cup (presented by Dr. Lombard Murphy) S.S.G.S. beat Belvedere by 7 matches to 2. Results:—

G. W. Kennedy (S.S.G.S.) beat H. Coleman (Belvedere)—6-1, 6-2.

G. F. Perrin (S.S.G.S.) beat C. Carroll (Belvedere)—6-2, 6-2.

C. H. Maidment (S.S.G.S.) beat E. Barry (Belvedere)—3-6, 10-8, 6-2.

K. B. Meares (S.S.G.S.) beat C. P. Crean (Belvedere)—3-6, 6-3, 6-3.

C. MacFetridge (S.S.G.S.) beat J. R. O'Donoghue (Belvedere)—6-3, 6-3.

R. P. P. Wallace (S.S.G.S.) lost to J. Murphy (Belvedere)—5-7, 10-8, 4-6.

G. W. Kennedy and G. F. Perrin (S.S.G.S.) beat H. Coleman and C. P. Crean (Belvedere)—6-2, 6-3.

C. H. Maidment and K. B. Meares (S.S.G.S.) beat C. Carroll and J. R. O'Donoghue (Belvedere)—6-4, 6-4.

C. MacFetridge and R. P. P. Wallace (S.S.G.S.) lost to E. Barry and J. Murphy (Belvedere).

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CRICKET.

LEINSTER AND CLONTARF DRAW.

A. P. PENNY'S "HAT TRICK."

Time saved Clontarf from defeat at Rathmines yesterday, as the visitors when play ceased had only one wicket to fall, and still required 99 runs to win.

At one time Clontarf looked certain to be beaten, as, after Leinster had declared with 7 wickets down for 225, they lost 7 wickets for 50. The last three wickets, however, came to the rescue, and when stumps were drawn at 8.15 the Clontarf score stood at 127 for 9. A feature of the match was the splendid bowling of A. P. Penny, who secured 7 of the Clontarf wickets for 14 runs, accomplishing the "hat trick."

Leinster, who batted first, occupied the wickets for two and a quarter hours. They lost F. Reddy at 7, but J. B. Ganly and A. P. Penny made a good stand for the second wicket and took the score to 64. Later, C. Wise hit freely, and then C. M. Hill and R. Sheppard added 55 for the eighth wicket, without being separated. Hill hit 5 boundaries, while Wise, who gave a couple of chances in his 39, hit a six and five 4's. Ganly was not long knocking up 36, while Penny's 23 included 4 boundaries. J. M. Sweeney took 5 wickets for 48.

F. C. Buxton and O. P. Sweeney gave Clontarf quite a good start, putting on 36 for the opening wicket. Penny then got A. Brown, E. N. Seymour, and J. Ledwidge in successive balls, and half the side were out for 42, while 8 wickets were down for 50. A. J. White and C. P. Stuart then came together and added 54 for the ninth wicket, before the former left, after being in an hour for 18. Stuart, who made 43, gave several chances.

SEDATE CRICKET AT LORD'S.

J. W. DOUGLAS'S 15 IN 90 MINUTES.

LANCASHIRE BOWLERS IN FORM.

Cricket of a very ordinary character was seen at Lords yesterday in the Gentlemen v. Players match. The former took four hours and fifty minutes to score 309, and fielding of the customary first class county standard would have reduced this total to meagre proportions. Woolley was chiefly to blame for missing Carr at 21 and 70. Had the first of these catches at slip been held the third wicket would have fallen directly after lunch at 72 instead of an hour later at 178. Then bad judgment by Stevens starting for a run when the ball was going between Hobbs and Tate on the off side broke a partnership that in all yielded 137 in eighty minutes. Stevens played his peculiar stolid game to score 75, and hit 9 fours and 4 threes in a faultless innings of its kind.

Going in second wicket at 41 after 65 minutes dull batting, Carr enlivened the game, driving with such power that fieldsmen seemed unable to get down to the ball coming straight to them. Carr hit a six to square leg, and 12 fours in his 82, a splendid example of sound, vigorous hitting to upset bowling that had kept the previous batsmen quiet. The game became more sedate than even when Dawson and Enthoven were getting 61 in eighty minutes. Dawson was beaten frequently before playing on, and Enthoven had to remain on the defensive so much that he took nearly two hours to score 36 before giving Hearne a simple return catch. After their separation five wickets fell in an hour for 68 runs, of which Calthorpe got 33, making many capital strokes. He and Fender were both bowled trying to hit, the last three wickets realising only ten runs.

The Players had ten minutes' batting, and scored nine without loss.

Winning the toss at Sheffield yesterday, Essex lost two wickets for 9 runs, and then showed so little enterprise in batting against Yorkshire that they occupied five hours and a half in making a total of 250.

Somerset and Lancashire were weakly represented at Weston-super-Mare, but Lancashire at the end of the day were favourably placed, for they were within 97 of their opponent's total, with nine wickets in hand. Somerset were without P. R. Johnson, J. Daniel, and J. C. W. MacBryan.

Notts took two hours and a half to collect their first 100 runs against Hampshire, but the second hundred was sent up in just over forty-five minutes. Perhaps the early dismissal of George Gunn made Notts exercise the restraint, for the pitch did not warrant it, and although the bowling was never loose, it certainly did not call for much solid batting as was seen when Walker, Whysall and John Gunn were at the wicket. Hampshire, who were without Lionel Tennyson, are 188 runs behind with three wickets down.

Worcestershire took four hours and twenty minutes at Brighton to score 270, while Sussex lost seven wickets in the last seventy minutes for 80 runs.

Warwickshire were seen to advantage with the bat at Coventry. The outstanding feature of the play was the brilliant innings of Smith, who made 149, the third century for his county this season. He batted four hours, and he and Quaife put on 196 for the third wicket. Quaife batted three hours and hit five 4's in compiling a correct 66.

Though losing three wickets for 15 runs, Gloucestershire put together a total of 351 against Kent at Maidstone. Hammond drove with fine power to score 121. Kent, however, greatly missed Freeman and Woolley.

The best performances were:—

BATTING.

A. W. Carr (Gentlemen v. Players)	82
J. C. White (Somerset v. Lancs.)	77
N. V. Riches (Glamorgan v. Derby)	74
Smith (Warwick v. Leicester)	149
Hammond (Gloucester v. Kent)	121

BOWLING.

R. Tyldesley (Players v. Gentlemen)	3 for 36
Sibbles (Lancs. v. Somerset)	4 for 56
Parkin (Lancs. v. Somerset)	4 for 39
Loney (Derby v. Glamorgan)	4 for 35

LEINSTER V. CLONTARF.

At Rathmines, resulting in a draw. Score:—

LEINSTER.

J. B. Ganly c White b J. Sweeney 36
F. Reddy l.b.w. b Pemberton 2
A. R. Penny c O. Sweeney b J. Sweeney 23
J. P. O'Connor run out 19
C. Wise c Pemberton b J. Sweeney 39
G. Browne b J. Sweeney 5
A. E. Wilkinson b J. Sweeney 1
C. M. Hill not out 40
R. Sheppard not out 19
Extras 41
Total (7 wkts.) *225

*Declared.

Did not bat—E. Browne, D. Robinson.

Bowling.—Pemberton, 1 for 65; Seymour, 0 for 35; J. M. Sweeney, 5 for 48; Ledwidge, 0 for 36.

CLONTARF.

F. E. Buxton c and b Penny 15
O. P. Sweeney c Ganly b Sheppard 15
A. Brown c Ganly b Penny 4
E. N. Seymour b Penny 0
J. J. Ledwidge c Nash b Penny 0
A. J. White c Hill b Ganly 18
W. C. Pemberton b Penny 2
W. J. Whelan c Reddy b Penny 0
C. P. Stuart not out 43
J. M. Sweeney c G. Browne b Penny 5
R. Archer not out 4
Extras 21
Total (9 wkts.) 127

Bowling.—Ganly, 1 for 39; Penny, 7 for 14; Sheppard, 1 for 16; Reddy, 0 for 15; Hill, 0 for 9; Brown, 0 for 7; Robinson, 0 for 4.

PHŒNIX v. PEMBROKE WANDERERS.

This match, listed for the Phœnix ground yesterday, fell through, Pembroke Wanderers not putting in an appearance.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Richmond v. Cinema Company, Grangegorman.

CLONTARF v. MR. STANLEY'S XI.—This match, arranged for to-day, will not be played.

YORKSHIRE V. ESSEX.

At Sheffield. Score:—

ESSEX—First Innings.

Freeman b Crawford 37
Cutmore l.b.w. b Robinson 3
O'Connor c Oldroyd b Robinson 0
Russell l.b.w. b Rhodes 29
P. Perrin c Oldroyd b Crawford 8
J. V. Richardson b Waddington 37
J. W. Douglas l.b.w. b Rhodes 15
V. E. Jarvis b Rhodes 37
L. C. Eastman not out 26
Hipkin c Dolphin b Robinson 36
G. M. Louden b Robinson 9
Extras 13
Total 250

Yorkshire.—Major A. W. Lupton, Oldroyd, Leyland, Rhodes, Robinson, Turner, Taylor, Mitchell, Crawford, Dolphin and Waddington.

ENGLAND BEAT WALES.

Having established a lead of three matches to one in the International match at Newport, the English team yesterday proceeded to swamp Wales, winning all four matches for a 7-1 victory. Details:—

Singles:—C. J. Tindell Green (England) beat M. T. Phillips (Wales)—6-1, 6-2; Sir L. Lyle (England) beat E. Crawshay Williams (Wales)—4-6, 7-5, 6-4.

Doubles—Nigel Sharpe and J. C. Gregory (England) beat E. Crawshay Williams and C. L. Sweet Escott (Wales)—6-1, 6-3; C. J. Tindell Green and Sir L. Lyle (England) beat M. T. Phillips and W. H. Powell (Wales)—6-4, 6-4.

Aggregates—England, 7 matches; Wales, 1.

GENTLEMEN V. PLAYERS.

At Lord's. Score:—

GENTLEMEN—First Innings.

J. L. Bryan l.b.w. b Macaulay 6
G. T. S. Stevens run out 75
K. S. Duleepsinhji c Tyldesley b Kilner 12
A. W. Carr c Holmes b Tyldesley 82
E. W. Dawson b Kilner 33
H. J. Enthoven c and b Hearne 36
Hon. F. S. G. Calthorpe b Tyldesley 33
G. O. Allen l.b.w. b Macaulay 11
P. G. H. Fender b Macaulay 4
R. H. Bettington not out
N. B. Sherwell l.b.w. b Tyldesley 0
Extras 18
Total 309

PLAYERS—First Innings.

Hobbs not out 1
Sutcliffe not out 6
Extras 2
Total (no wkt.) 9

To bat—F. E. Woolley, Hendren, Hearne, Holmes, Tate, Macaulay, R. Tyldesley, Strudwick, and Kilner.

Bowling.—Gentlemen, First Innings—Tate, 0 for 37; Macaulay, 3 for 67; Kilner, 2 for 80; Tyldesley, 3 for 36; Hearne, 1 for 54.

WARWICKSHIRE V. LEICESTERSHIRE.

At Coventry. Score:—

WARWICKSHIRE—First Innings.

Smith c Sidwell b Skelding 149
Bates b Skelding 4
Santall c Sidwell b Skelding 17
W. G. Quaife run out 66
N. E. Partridge b Astill 10
Croom c Taylor b Bale 31
R. E. S. Wyatt not out 14
H. Venn not out 22
Extras 8
Total (6 wkts.) 321

To bat—Fox, Howell and Cooke.

Leicestershire.—Major G. H. S. Fowke, C. H. Taylor, King, Berry, Astill, Shipman, Geary, Coulson, Sidwell, Bale and Skelding.

KENT V. GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

At Maidstone. Score:—

GLOUCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Dipper c Johnstone b Cornwallis 1
Lt.-Col. Robinson c Ashdown b Cornwallis 2
Smith c Hubble b Wright 5
Sinfield b Wright 35
Hammond c Ashdown b Johnstone 121
Bloodworth c Wright b Hilder 62
Parker b Hilder 43
F. J. Weeks b Wright 18
Mills b Hever 13
Dennett not out 13
Goddard c Wright b Hever 10
Extras 18
Total 351

KENT—First Innings.

C. P. Johnstone b Dennett 33
Ashdown c Hammond b Parker 7
Hever not out 0
Extras 11
Total (2 wkts.) 51

To bat—A. L. Hilder, J. A. Deed, G. J. Bryan, S. E. Day, W. S. Cornwallis, Hardinge, Hubble and Wright.

Bowling.—Gloucestershire, First Innings — Wright, 3 for 87; Cornwallis, 2 for 65; Ashdown 0 for 33; Hever, 2 for 68; Hardinge, 0 for 29; Johnstone, 1 for 24; Bryan, 0 for 13; Hilder, 2 for 14.

SOMERSET V. LANCASHIRE.

At Weston-super-Mare. Score:—

SOMERSET—First Innings.

C. C. Case l.b.w. b Parkin 1
Young c Sharp b Parkin 30
A. S. Bligh c Makepeace b Parkin 21
J. C. White not out 77
R. A. Ingle b Watson 0
G. F. Earle c Hopwood b Parkin 7
E. T. Haywood l.b.w. b Sibbles 21
W. T. Greswell c and b Watson 12
Hunt c Parkin b Sibbles 15
J. J. Bridges c Sharp b Sibbles 7
M. L. Hill b Sibbles 10
Extras 11
Total 212

LANCASHIRE—First Innings.

Makepeace c Hunt b Bridges 62
Hopwood not out 50
Iddon not out 0
Extras 3
Total (1 wkt.) 115

To bat—J. Sharp, L. Green, P. T. Eckersley, Watson, Sibbles, Macdonald, Duckworth, and Parkin.

Bowling.—Somerset, First Innings—Parkin, 4 for 39; MacDonald, 0 for 59; Watson, 2 for 47; Sibbles, 4 for 56.

HAMPSHIRE V. NOTTS.

At Southampton. Score:—

NOTTS—First Innings.

G. Gunn st Livsey b Kennedy 7
Whysall c and b Newman 39
J. Gunn b Kennedy 36
Walker l.b.w. b Jameson 9
Lilley b Kennedy 72
Staples b Boyes 31
Flint b Newman 29
L. Kirk c Judd b Newman 7
Larwood b Newman 9
Richmond not out 17
Matthews st Livsey b Kennedy 4
Extras 14
Total 274

HAMPSHIRE—First Innings.

Brown c Lilley b Matthews 9
Newman b Staples 6
R. Aird b Larwood 16
Mead not out 38
Capt. T. O. Jameson not out 13
Extras 4
Total (3 wkts.) 86

To bat—A. L. Hosie, A. K. Judd, Kennedy, Bowell, Livsey and Boyes.

Bowling.—Notts, First Innings—Kennedy, 4 for 60; Brown, 0 for 47; Jameson, 1 for 50; Newman, 4 for 69; Boyes, 1 for 34.

GLAMORGAN V. DERBY.

At Cardiff. Score:—

GLAMORGAN—First Innings.

N. V. H. Riches b Hill-Wood 74
C. F. Waters run out 20
Bates b Loney 13
Abel run out 3
D. Davies st Elliott b Loney 4
T. Arnott l.b.w. b Loney 27
Spencer c Elliott b Lee 5
J. C. Clay not out 46
Mercer b Loney 7
Ryan b Bestwick 17
Sullivan c Cadman b Bestwick 0
Extras 15
Total 231

DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

Lee not out 11
Bowden not out 6
Extras 7
Total (no wkt.) 24

To bat—G. R. Jackson, E. F. Loney, B. S. Hill-Wood, Townsend, Cadman, Hutchinson, Horsley, Elliott and Bestwick.

Bowling.—Glamorgan, First Innings—Bestwick, 2 for 51; Cadman, 0 for 52; Horsley, 0 for 5; Hill-Wood, 1 for 36; Loney, 4 for 35; Lee, 1 for 36; Townsend, 0 for 1.

SUSSEX V. WORCESTERSHIRE.

At Brighton. Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

M. F. S. Jewell b Parks 3
Pearson b Hollingdale 16
Tarbox b Parks 67
G. E. Abell c Cornford b Bowley 24
Root b Parks 71
M. K. Foster c Cornford b Bowley 22
W. M. Hampton l.b.w. b Bowley 6
Dr. B. Adshead c Bowley b Wensley 26
Hon. J. Coventry c Parks b Wensley 7
Rogers not out 11
Wilson b Wensley 7
Extras 10
Total 270

SUSSEX—First Innings.

Bowley b Root 12
Parks c Pearson b Wilson 25
L. C. R. Isherwood c Foster b Root 2
Cook l.b.w. b Root 18
J. H. Naumann b Root 10
Wensley run out 0
A. C. Watson c Adshead b Wilson 0
Cox not out 2
Extras 11
Total (7 wkts.) 80

To bat—L. A. Newberry, Hollingdale and Cornford.

Bowling.—Worcestershire, First Innings—Wensley, 3 for 80; Parks, 3 for 57; Hollingdale, 1 for 49; Cox, 0 for 32; Bowley, 3 for 42.

MARCONI INTERNATIONAL MARINE.

The gross revenue for the year 1924 of the Marconi International Marine Communication amounted to £976,350, compared with £976,138 for the preceding year. Net profit amounted to £,576, against £85,315. Accounts show approximately the same revenue and net profit as in the preceding year, in spite of accentuated depression in shipping trade which has prevailed, necessitating continuation of rebates to shipowners in respect of rentals and charges for operators' services while vessels were laid up. In last year's report it was pointed out that lower scale of pay had ruled in all seafaring ratings, and salaries of telegraph operators had been reduced proportionately. Consequently, the amount receivable by the company from shipowners for services of telegraph operators was substantially less. Difficulties through which shipowners have passed in 1924 have led to a further number of shipping companies going into liquidation, and in accounts provision has been made in respect of bad and doubtful debts. On December 31, 1923, investments were represented in part by Italian securities. Depreciation in these securities was fully set off by appreciation at that date of the company's investment in 5 per cent. War Loan. During 1924 Italian investments were realised and loss on realisation was compensated by appreciation in War Loan, which, though standing at December 31, 1924, at 101½, is brought into the balance sheet at par only. No settlement in this connection in respect of E.P.D. has yet been arrived at, but discussions with the Revenue authorities are proceeding. The directors recommend a final dividend of 2½ per cent., which will make 7½ per cent. for the year, leaving £1,745 to be carried forward.

LIGHTING OF BLACKROCK.

At last night's meeting of the Blackrock Urban Council, Mr. Downey proposed that a committee be appointed to consult with the Kingstown Urban Council as to the supply of electric current for that body to light the Blackrock district. Kingstown, he said, was prepared to supply electric current at 10d. a unit, the same as was charged to their own ratepayers.

Suggestions were made that Pembroke, where electricity was supplied at 6d. a unit, and the Dublin Corporation, who charged only 5d. a unit, should be consulted.

Mr. Downey said that these bodies only supplied in bulk, while Kingstown would do for Blackrock what they were doing for their own people.

The committee was appointed.

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WOMAN INJURED IN RUSH FOR TRAMCAR.

In a general rush to board a city-bound tramcar at Kingsbridge yesterday afternoon, a middle-aged woman—Mrs. Slattery, of Golf View House, Athlone—was knocked down and sustained a fracture of the left leg. She had just arrived in Dublin on a day excursion. She was taken to Steevens's Hospital.

Later in the evening, John Kelly, aged forty-five, of 18 Upper Buckingham street, was knocked down by a motor car when crossing Commons street, North Wall. His right foot was crushed. He is being treated at Jervis street Hospital.

SENATE ELECTIONS.

SENATOR J. J. COUNIHAN

FARMER AND CATTLE TRADE CANDIDATE.

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VOTE No. 1

AUSTRALIA LADIES AT FITZWILLIAM CLUB: CLONAKILTY SHOW.

Miss Boyd (Australia) at Fitzwilliam Club.

Group of helpers at the Chapelizod Fête.

Miss Akhurst (Australia), Mrs. Blair White (Ireland), Miss Boyd (Australia) and Miss H. Wallis (Ireland).

Miss V. Dockrell scoring 45 out of a possible 50 at the Chapelizod Fête.

Irish "End to End" Reliability Trials. Mr. J. P. McCarthy at Glenlark water splash.

Miss Hilda Wallis, Ireland, in play.

Dr. Paul A. Murphy, of the Ministry of Agriculture, talking to a party of Athlone farmers at the Model Farm, Glasnevin, yesterday, about seed potatoes.

DAIRY COWS AT CLONAKILTY.—Mr. H. Applebe's Primrose 2nd; Mr. P. Attridge's Rose, and Mr. M. Santry's Castlefreke Favourite.

COMMITTEE AND JUDGES AT CLONAKILTY SHOW.

Front Row—Messrs. J. Santry, P. O'Donovan, J. O'Mahony, P. O'Donovan, Secretary; D. O'Sullivan, J. E. Barry, J. J. Carolan, J. Twomey, Cow Testing Instructor. Second Row—D. Healy, D. McCarthy, P. Duffy, Live Stock Inspector; Miss Slattery, Poultry Instructress; N. Fitzgerald, D. White, P.C., Chairman of Committee; W. Mitchell, T. Bateman, A. Kingston, D. O'Leary.

COUNTY DOWN SCHOOL OFFICERS.

"CUTS" STRONGLY OPPOSED.

At a meeting of the Co. Down School Officers' Association strong resentment was expressed at the proposal of the Co. Down Regional Committee to dispense with the fifty odd officers of the former school committees. Lord Londonderry had written agreeing to receive a deputation of the officers, but the Regional Committee had turned down a request of the Association to be permitted to confer on the matter.

While thanking Lord Londonderry, the meeting stigmatised the action of the Regional Committee as scandalous treatment of an efficient body of officers, one of whom stated that the percentage of attendances at sixty schools over which he had supervision was 87½ per cent.

The following resolutions were adopted:—

"1—That we, the school officers of Co. Down, feel that we have been harshly treated in the attempt to deprive us of our positions under the various school committees, although the Education Act makes special provision for our transference; and we are of opinion, in the event of the policy proposed by the Regional Committee being adhered to, that we are entitled, at least, to the advantages of Section 68 of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920.

"2—That we highly appreciate the action of the Minister of Education, Lord Londonderry, in agreeing to receive a deputation of the Association, and regret the decision of the Regional Committee in declining to afford us an opportunity of submitting and discussing our claims.

"3—That we consider the proposal of the Regional Committee in dividing the county into ten areas is not conducive to the interests of education, and will, if insisted on, impose great hardships on the poor in having to travel long distances to the different centres, and, while being more expensive in working, will be less efficient in results than under the old system; and we urge the fixing of the former areas and the re-appointment of the committees.

"4—That we are strongly of opinion that the proposals of the Regional Committee to appoint ten persons to carry out the duties of the fifty odd officers formerly discharging the duties, and who are still in office, will tend to preserve these appointments for the friends of officials in the same way as the appointments already made."

RATHDOWN GUARDIANS IN A MAZE.

A DEPARTMENTAL LETTER.

Rathdown Guardians yesterday had before them a letter from Mr. W. J. Shannon, solicitor to the Guardians, stating that, in regard to the question of fixing the superannuation of resigned officers, it was not his intention to avail himself of the provisions of Part 4 of the Local Government Act of 1925. Nurse Clarkson had written previously to say that she elected to be dealt with under the previous Acts.

The Clerk to the Board (Mr. Cunniam) said that he had informed the Ministry that Miss Clarkson desired to have her superannuation fixed under Section 8 (Sub-section 2) of the 1919 Act, and that she had served notice to that effect.

A letter from the Minister was read informing the Guardians that "it is a condition precedent to his acceptance of Nurse Clarkson's resignation under Section 8 of the Local Government Act of 1919, that she should have opted out under Section 43 of the Local Government Act of 1925."

The Guardians seemed to be in a quandary over this letter, and decided to refer the Minister to previous correspondence.

QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, BELFAST.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

The Pro-Chancellor, Sir William Whitea, M.D., LL.D., presided yesterday at a meeting of the Senate of Queen's University, Belfast.

The following were appointed Junior Lecturers for a period of three years:—Edmund J. Finnan, Engineering; Mary J. Lynn, Botany; William Riddell, Zoology; Arthur E. Muskett and David Clouston, Agricultural Botany; Francis Dickinson and Ronald C. Barkett, Agricultural Chemistry.

Professor W. W. D. Thomson was re-appointed Professor of Medicine.

The Curators were instructed by the Senate to advise them as to the appointment of a lecturer in Celtic, as the lecturership becomes vacant on October 1.

Dr. Arthur H. Ryan was appointed Lecturer in Scholastic Philosophy for a period of seven years. After a brilliant undergraduate career in Queen's University, Dr. Ryan obtained his B.A. degree with honours in Classics in 1917. He distinguished himself greatly as a student at Rome, where he took the degrees of Doctor of Philosophy and Doctor of Divinity.

The report recommended that the title of "Reader in English Language" should be conferred upon Mr. A. O. Belfour, who has been Lecturer in English Language since the foundation of the University.

MONKSTOWN BURGLARIES.

THIEVES WHO USED RUBBER SHOES.

Burglars entered two houses in the Monkstown (Dublin) district in the early hours of Wednesday morning. At the house of Mr. Moylett, Queen's Park, they stole a sum of 50s. in notes, and also a box of fruit knives and forks, with mother of pearl handles. They got through a window in the house of Mr. McCormick, "Shandon," Monkstown, but, after a search of some apartments, left this house empty-handed.

Mr. and Mrs. Moylett retired on Tuesday night at about 11.30 o'clock, having fastened all their windows. On coming down in the morning they found the windows of the dining room and breakfast room open; drawers had been ransacked and documents strewn over the floors. The burglars had spent a considerable time in the house, as they ate liberally of stewed fruit in the dining room.

At about 2.30 a.m., Mrs. Moylett had got up to look at a child who is unwell. She probably alarmed the burglars, who got away by the back door, leaving a pair of rubber shoes behind them.

THREE TIMES DESERTED.

BIGAMIST'S PITIFUL STORY.

A pitiful story of wife desertion was disclosed at Waterford District Court yesterday, when Mary O'Neill was charged with bigamy.

The accused, who pleaded guilty, stated, in reply to Judge Sealy, that she married John O'Neill in Carrick-on-Suir eighteen years ago. After the birth of the first child he left her for two years. He returned then, but after three weeks deserted her again. A second child was born to him during his absence. Several years afterwards he came back again, staying with her this time for about six months, and then left her for the third time. After this desertion a third child was born.

"I did not know what to do when he left me," said the accused, "and, as I heard he was dead years ago, I married a man named Edward Costigan."

His lordship said that he would not further punish the accused, who had been in jail for a month. The accused was then discharged from custody.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

ALL STATIONS.—S.B. from London. **7.0**—Time, weather, news, market prices for farmers, French talk. **7.30**—Music (except Belfast). **10.0**—Time, weather, news. **10.30-11.30**—Savoy bands.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.

1.0-2.0—Gramophone. **3.15**—Schools. **4.0**—Trocadero Music. **6.0**—Children. **6.40**—Music. **7.40**—"Otter Hunting." **8.0**—Southern Trio, Evelyn Dove, John Payne, C. C. Rosemond, in Negro Melodies. Scovell and Wheldon in Negro Spirituals and Syncopated Songs. Kekuku (in Hawaiian Steel Guitar Solos), accompanied on the Banjulele Banjo by Danglada. **9.0**—Chamber Music: Spencer Thomas (tenor), William Primrose (violin), Gordon Bryan (pianoforte), Muriel Herbert (pianoforte).

CHELMSFORD (5XX) — 1,600 Metres (High-Power Station).

10.30 a.m.—Weather Forecast. **6.0-8.0**—From London. **8.0**—"An Hour at a Party" (Guy Reeve). Mabel Constanduros, John Henry, Charles Wreford, Vera Lowe, Frederic Lloyd. **9.0**—Military Band, relayed from the Lake Band Stand, Wembley. **10.0-11.30**—All Stations Programme.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.

3.45—Pianoforte Quintet. **4.45**—Women; Isabel Tebbs (soprano). **5.15**—Children. **7.40 and 8.0**—From London.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.

11.30-12.0—Orchestra. **3.45**—Women, Wireless Orchestra. **5.15**—Children. **6.30**—Music. **6.40 and 8**—From London.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.

12.30-1.30—Orchestra. **3.0-4.30**—Marjorie Parry (soprano), Station Orchestra. **5.0**—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks." **5.30**—Children. **7.40**—"The Harvesting of Grain and Forage Crops." **8.0**—From London.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.

11.30—"2ZY" Orchestra. **11.45**—Schools. **12.0-12.30**—"2ZY" Orchestra. **4.30**—"2ZY" Quartet, Edith Mason (soprano). **5.30**—Children. **7.40**—Agricultural Bulletin. **8.0**—Dorothy Kitchen (contralto), Ronald Gourley (entertainer), Nelson Jackson (entertainer), Station Burlesque (by members of the staff). **9.15**—W. H. Squire (solo 'cello), Edward Isaacs (solo pianoforte).

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—403 Metres.

11.30-12.30—Evelyn Longstaffe (contralto), J. Pickersgill (euphonium). **3.45**—Hudson Barnsley (baritone), The Marsden Colliery Prize Band Brass Quartet. **5.15-6.0**—Children. **6.40-6.55**—"History of Old Hartlepool." **8.0**—From London.

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.

3.30—Wireless Quartet, Jeane M. Pollock (soprano). **4.45**—Women. **5.15**—Children. **6.0-6.5**—Weather for Farmers. **8.0**—Station Orchestra, J. C. Dorsie (entertainer), Station Repertory Company, "The Boss o' the Hoose" (comedy), Gladys Palmer.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.

3.30—Women. **4.0-5.0**—Orchestra. **5.45**—Children. **6.40**—Music. **7.40 and 8.0**—From London.

BELFAST (2BE)—439 Metres.

4.0-5.0—"2BE" Quintet. **5.30**—Children. **7.30**—Station Orchestra, E. J. Harris (saxophone), Herbert Aldridge (monologues), Belfast Radio Players. Danse Humoresque, "The Little Wooden Soldiers" (Morgan); Humoresque, "The Cocktail" (Finck); Pizzicato, "The Frog Dance" (Mary Richardson); "The Effect and a Little of the Cause" (Aldridge); "If Life Were a Play" (Grey); Musical Joke, "Mind the Slide" (Ketelbey); Humoresque, "The Honey Bee" (R. Somerville); "The Guv'nor Leaves Everything to Me" (Aldridge); "Thanks Very Much" (Hal Parre); "The Drummer's Birthday" (Elliott-Smith); Descriptive Galop, "A Motor Ride" (Bidgood). **9.0**—"At the Cinema." Players: Charlotte Tedlie, Kitty Murphy, J. R. Mageean, H. Richard Hayward. **9.15**—Saxophone solo, selected. **9.30**—"Roundabouts and Swings." **9.45**—Orchestra: Fox-trot, "Castles in the Air" (Straus); Valse, "Serenade" (Drigo); Fox-trot, "Swing Along" (Collard). **10.0-11.30**—All Stations Programme.

FLOUR PRICES INCREASED.

The London Flour Millers' Association announce that the price of standard grade flour in the Home Counties is now 48s. per 280 lbs. (6d. to 1s. less delivered within the London districts), being an increase of 6d. per 280lbs.

FASHIONABLE KNITWEAR BELOW USUAL PRICES.

Marleen is holding a four-day Sale. All remaining summer Knitwear models—Costumes, Frocks, Tunic Suits, and Cardigans—and all the new Hats, have been reduced, in some cases to less than cost. Many models for Horse Show and early Autumn are due to arrive, and space must be found. Take advantage of the opportunity. Come to 114 St. Stephen's Green (continuation of Grafton street). —(Advt.)

A PLUCKY RESCUE.

MAN SAVED FROM HEAVY SEA AT GREYSTONES.

A very plucky rescue from drowning was witnessed at Greystones on Tuesday evening.

A young man named Parsons got into difficulties when bathing, and his cries for help attracted the attention of Mr. C. W. Fursden, of Neville House, Neville road, Rathgar, who was on the beach with his wife and two children. Without hesitating Mr. Fursden ran along the rocks and, waiting only to kick off his shoes, plunged in to the drowning man's assistance.

Parsons by this time had sunk, but, notwithstanding the heavy sea that was running, Mr. Fursden succeeded in bringing him to the surface, and after a stiff struggle brought him to land. Dr. Cussen applied artificial respiration immediately, and after an hour Parsons recovered consciousness and was taken to his home.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Representative Body of the Church of Ireland met yesterday. The Archbishop of Dublin presided. The other members present were:—Bishop of Meath, Bishop of Cork, Bishop of Kilmore, Bishop of Down, Bishop of Limerick, Archdeacon of Armagh, Earl of Belmore, Archdeacon of Clogher, Mr. George Knight, Mr. Gustavus Rochfort Hyde, Colonel Charles Pepper, Dean of Derry, Mr. J. R. Scott, Dean of Down, Mr. W. A. Ferrar, Mr. Willoughby James Bond, Sir Malby Crofton, Dean of Kildare, Mr. John Arthur Maconchy, Major Wellesley, Rev. Chancellor Rennison, Canon Pike, Sir John Keane, H. C. Bowen, B.L.; Archdeacon of Killaloe, Colonel O'Callaghan Westropp, Dean of Limerick, Mr. Dermod O'Brien, Lord Glenavy, Professor W. E. Thrift, F.T.C.D.; Mr. W. B. Carson, and Mr. John Garvey. Having transacted business, the Representative Body adjourned until Wednesday, October 21.

St. John's Church, Kilcluney, Diocese of Armagh, has been re-opened after renovation and repairs. Coolderry Chapel of Ease, seven miles from Magheracloone Parish Church, has been re-opened by the Bishop of Clogher after renovation and repairs. The Bishop laid emphasis in his sermon on the fact that the painting, carpentry, fencing, drawing of materials, and laying out of the grounds was done by members of the congregation. The chapel, which was formerly a private one, has been acquired in freehold for the Church of Ireland.

Mr. H. Chudleigh Dorman, has been appointed diocesan architect for Armagh. A presentation of a wallet of notes has been made to Mr. S. Jervois, the late diocesan architect, who has retired owing to failing health.

The Rev. R. T. Bluett has applied for superannuation. He has been incumbent of Carlingford since 1892, and has served in the diocese of Armagh for forty-nine years. He was ordained in 1876.

The Rev. J. Quin, incumbent of Annalong, diocese of Dromore, has also applied for superannuation. He was ordained in 1887, and became incumbent of Annalong in 1893.

The Rev. A. M. Cave, incumbent of Killoughey, has been nominated to the incumbency of Moyliscar.

The Rev. J. C. Ludgate has been instituted to the incumbency of the Union of Fethard, Tintern, and Killesk.

THEATRE MUSICIANS' DISPUTE.

The position is still unchanged in the dispute between the Theatre and Cinema Association of Ireland and the musicians.

Last night the Amalgamated Musicians' Union, Dublin, had a band, under the conductorship of Mr. Robert Bolton (before the dispute conductor at the Theatre Royal), performing on the East Pier at Kingstown. A smaller band was sent to a garden party at Shankill yesterday.

Pickets are still to be seen outside the theatres and cinemas.

FUNERAL OF SIR WILLIAM GOULDING.

The funeral of the late Sir William Joshua Goulding, Bart., P.C., took place from his residence, Luttrellstown House, Clonsilla, Dublin, yesterday morning for Castleknock Churchyard. There was a very large attendance of friends and the general public. The flag of the Great Southern Railways, of which he was Chairman, was floated at half-mast, and there were general manifestations of regret at the passing away of one so honourably and prominently connected with Irish commercial and public life. His brother, Lord Wargrave, yesterday morning received the following telegram from Lord Birkenhead:—"We mourn the loss of a very sagacious, loyal, irreplaceable Irishman. My heart is with you.—Birkenhead."

A simple but impressive Service was held at Castleknock Parish Church. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages cleft for me" and "Through the night of doubt and sorrow." The Psalm selected was "Lord, Thou hast been our refuge." The Dean of St. Patrick's read the lesson (15th chap., 1st Corinthians). Dr. George P. H. Hewson, organist of St. Patrick's Cathedral, presided at the organ, and at the conclusion of the Service played the Dead March in "Saul." The final prayers at the graveside were read by the Archbishop of Dublin.

The chief mourners were:—Lady Goulding (widow); Captain Sir Lingard W. A. Goulding, Bart. (son); Lord Wargrave (brother); Major Hugh A. Henry, Captain M. Dennis, and Captain Harboard (sons-in-law).

The officiating clergy were:—The Most Rev. Dr. Gregg, Archbishop of Dublin; the Very Rev. H. J. Lawlor, D.D., the Dean of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Dublin; the Rev. H. C. Brown, B.D., Rector of Clonsilla; the Rev. R. H. Bodet, Rector of Castleknock; the Rev. J. W. Crozier, St. Ann's, Dublin; the Rev. L. P. Atkinson, St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Among the general public present were:—Lord Glenavy, Chairman of the Senate; James Doyle, Comptroller of the Viceregal Lodge, representing the Governor-General; Sir Stanley Harrington, P.C., Cork; Sir John Arnott, Bart.; Sir John Harley Scott, High Sheriff, Cork; Senator John Bagwell, General Manager, Great Northern Railway; Mr. M. F. Keogh, General Manager, Great Southern Railways Company; Dr. W. Lombard Murphy, Sir William J. de C. Wheeler, Sir George Brooke, Right Hon. James MacMahon, Senator Sir John P. Griffith, Dr. W. J. Merrick, Sir Christopher Nixon, Sir Walter Nugent, Mr. E. J. Duggan, T.D. (representing President Cosgrave); Senator H. S. Guinness, Captain L. J. Arnott, Mr. Hugh D. Pack Beresford, E. A. Neale, Lieutenant-Colonel F. A. E. Cairnes, Dr. Arthur Atock, Joseph X. Murphy, Major-General H. Gerrard, Colonel Pepper, A. R. McMullen, Cork; Senator Parkinson, Senator Sir Thomas Grattan Esmonde, Christopher D. Evans, St. Helen's, Lucan; James Milne, C.S.I. (representing Viscount Churchill and the Great Western Railway of England); the Rev. Dr. Walker, Newark, Notts; J. W. Parkes, C. Douglas, B. P. Preston, Thomas Geoghegan, F.C.A.; George Harrison, Cork; George F. Harrison, Colonel Claude Cane, Deputy Grand Master, Freemasons, Ireland; Master Jackson, K.C.; Mr. E. White (Vice-Chairman) and Mr. J. B. Phelps (Secretary) (representing the Commissioners of Irish Lights, of which body Sir William Goulding was the senior member); J. Ingram (representing the Minister for Industry and Commerce), Arthur C. MacGregor, George Edward Smyth, General Manager's Assistant, Great Southern Railways; William Perrin, Rev. Canon Craig, George H. P. Hewson, Mus.Doc.; George Jameson, F. D. Vere White, A. W. Bretland, Major T. W. Kirkwood, W. H. Morton, R. Carley, J. Rowland (representing Eason and Sons, Ltd.), Major Cusack, W. E. Richardson (Irish Railway Clearing House), the Rev. D. H. Hall, W. J. Stitt, S. Alford, John F. Sides, P. J. Floyd, J. R. Bazin, E. M. Manger, F. G. Prideaux, Arthur Jackson, Walter Nugent, Richard Pim, C. J. Newbold, F. Morgan Mooney, G. V. Phillips, Herbert Gilman, J. A. B. Trench, Dr. G. O'Keeffe Wilson, J. Russell Stritch, J.P.; J. B. Stephens, S. J. Medcalf, M. A. Pugh, G. H. Wolfe, E. M. Connolly, W. B. Carson, Edward B. Symmons, E. Dawson Fry, John Leask, M. M. Newman, J. E. Morgan, Fred D. Darley, W. H. Darker, W. A. Darker, L. Morrogh Ryan, D. Sullivan, C. Baillie Gage, G. Watson, F. J. H. Koenigs, James Betson, Edward Betson, Maxwell Arnott, D. G. Laidlaw, Thomas Pauling, R. N. Goodbody, H. C. Shellard, R. McAllister, LL.D.; A. Orr, W. F. Wells, Fred W. White, Randall A. Howe, George Finlay, James O'Connell, W. H. Morton, Thomas Elliott.

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Wreaths and floral tributes were sent by:—Lady Goulding, Lord Wargrave, Geoffrey, Doreen and Terence, Michael and Dina, Kathleen, Hugh and Eileen, Mrs. J. Galsworthy, the Household Staff, Ida and Tom, Maureen, Madge and Kevin, Lingard and Nesta, Mr. Joseph Milne and Mr. J. W. Milne, Right Hon. and Mrs. Thomas K. Laidlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Jameson, Nurse Wilkinson, Michael Beary, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maher, Mrs. George E. Kirk, Miss A. Barker, the Misses Henry, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Maunsell, Christopher and Alice Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Edward White, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wardell, Miss Wardell, Captain Wardell, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cairns, the Staffs of W. H. and M. Goulding, Dublin and Cork; the Directors of the Great Southern Railways; the Chief Officers of the Great Southern Railways, the Staffs of the Irish Railways Clearing House and the Great Western Railway, England; the Directors of the National Bank, the Commissioners of the Irish Lights, the Grand Lodge of Freemasons in Ireland, the Supreme Council, 33 Degree; the Victorian Masonic Lodge, the Grand Chapter of Freemasons, St. Barnabas's Church, North Wall; the Committee of the Victoria Jubilee Masonic Annuity Fund, the Household Staff, Luttrellstown; the Outdoor Staff at Hillbrook, the Stewards of the Turf Club, the Baldoyle Race Company, the Directors of Leopardstown Club, F. W. Berks and Co., London; the General Staff of Hillbrook, R. Robinson, J. Hogan, W. Kerrigan, Employés of Glen Works, Cork; the Dean and Board of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

Messrs. Waller, Dublin, had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr. A. Westland Archer, of Drogheda, and the Dean of Christ Church were unable to attend the funeral.

Sir Maurice Dockrell, D.L., was unavoidably prevented at the last moment from attending the funeral.

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288,380 GUINEAS.

A RECORD SALE.

FINAL DAY AT NEWMARKET

SUCCESS OF COTTRILL'S STABLE.

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWMARKET, Wednesday Night.

Breeders with lots to sell at Doncaster eagerly watched the proceedings at the sale paddocks this morning, when the late Sir Edward Hulton's thirteen yearlings—the last draft from the stud—came into the ring. They experienced no disappointment; for there was no diminution in the demand. The thirteen realised, in all, 45,950 guineas, or an average of 3,534. This brings the total realised by the whole sale up to 288,380 guineas. The figures need no comment. They speak most eloquently for themselves. Nothing has ever been known like it before, and the whole sale has probably established a new standard of prices for bloodstock.

Again, Old Silver Fowl was to the fore. Her yearling, a filly by Lemberg, made top price, 9,200 guineas, the buyer being Mr. H. E. Morriss. This, I think, is the highest figure ever made by a yearling at Newmarket. Mr. Morriss bought Fifinella's yearling by Hurry On for 4,700 guineas. An interesting new buyer was an ex-Viceroy of Ireland, Lord Wimborne, who took the colt by Lemberg out of Margarethal for 2,100 guineas. Lord Wimborne's interests have heretofore been mainly with politics and polo, and his purchase of bloodstock is interesting.

A Dead Heat.

There was another day's racing in blazing sunshine, and, considering that even the July course is beginning to feel the effects of the drought, fields were surprisingly good. It was a wonderful day for the Lambourn trainer, Mr. Cottrill, and his jockey, R. A. Jones; for they were responsible for three winners and a dead-heater during the afternoon. The dead-heat was between Field Argent and Blanchisseuse in the July Handicap, and so close was the finish that Black Gown, the third, was only placed a short head away.

The honours of the race certainly go to Field Argent, for he was slowly into his stride and settled down several lengths behind. Then he was interfered with, but he was going like a lion at the finish, and most people, not exactly so well placed as the judge, thought that he had won outright. The official, however, decided that he must share the stakes with Blanchisseuse, who would have only got up in the last few strides. A furlong from home Black Gown looked like being an easy winner, but he did not put so much resolution into his finish as the other pair, and he was just beaten.

Major Beatty, the trainer of Black Gown, was responsible for a winner later in the afternoon. This was the well-backed King Pluto, a gelding by the young Irish stallion, Roi Hero, who looks above plating form, and who made the most of the running to gain an easy victory over Jibtopsail in the Fiftieth Two-Year-Old Sale Stakes.

The other selling race went to Cottrill with the Hemisphere Rig, who also made all the running, to beat The Biala gelding very easily. He was sold afterwards to go to Australia.

Bridge of Dun has most of his life been running in selling plates, in which class of event he has always been hard to beat. Sir Walter de Freece bought him out of one at Epsom in May, and sent him to be trained by Cottrill. Here in the Swaffham Welter the son of Bridge of Earn was flying at a higher game, and fighting the issue out in the gamest fashion he gained a meritorious three-quarters of a length victory over Roysterer, with Skyblaze filling the third place.

A Favourite Goes Down.

Pomeroy, who was favourite for the Zetland Plate, could never catch Duvet, who played the hare to his hound and beat him comfortably by two lengths, after making all the running. Another hot favourite to go down was Lady Clarina, who in the Falmouth Stakes was beaten, not only by Bar Sinister, but by Seradella.

The racing to-morrow afternoon concludes the Newmarket meeting, and we shall be thinking about the Cesarewitch and the Cambridgeshire before we assemble on the heath again. The distance of the Summer Handicap will just suit Carbonaro, who is in better form this season than he has ever been, and for whom the going cannot be too hard. Mandelieu, who beat him in the Ascot Stakes, would be a danger if started, and Pilum is expected to run well. I shall, however, take CARBONARO to win. Although such as Manna, Saucy Sue, and Picaroon will be absent from the Midsummer Stakes there will be a good class field, in which Motley has a chance. Prompt runs here instead of waiting for the Anniversary Cup at Sandown. Dignity would have a very good chance if started, judging by the way he beat Kentish Knock and others at Hurst Park. Then El Cacique has been running well without winning throughout the season. Pons Asinorum is quite a likely sort, but I do not think he is quite class enough to beat DIGNITY, whom I choose to win. In the Chesterfield Stakes I choose STASIARCH, who has a pull in the weights with some of the others.

GALTEE MORE.

NEWMARKET SALES.

HULTON DISPERSAL TOTALS 288,380 GUINEAS.

The end of the great sales, so far as the bloodstock of the late Sir Edward Hulton is concerned, came with the dispersal of thirteen yearlings from the Warren Towers stud yesterday morning. The result was an addition of 45,950 guineas to the amount already expended, so the grand total reached 288,380 guineas. To appreciate the magnitude of the business, it is necessary to bear in mind that at very few of the big sales in December, which extend over five days, has such a sum as this been compiled.

The yearlings consisted of four colts and nine fillies, the latter being decidedly superior. Lord Wimborne, a recruit to racing, enjoyed the distinction of purchasing the first lot, Mark Lane, a colt out of that fine mare Margarethal, for which he paid 2,100 gs. Fidus, the first of the produce of Little Fifine by Lemonora, is a colt of good size, and Scobie probably did well in buying him at 2,000 gs. Many judges, however, preferred Confrere, a brown colt by Buchan out of Cypher, for whom Mr. H. Smith Turberville gave 2,200 gs. The gem amongst the colts was Forrard, a big, raking chestnut with a blaze face and three white shanks, by Hurry On out of Fifinella, and thus classically bred on both sides. He joined the other purchases for Beckhampton, Mr. H. E. Morriss being his new owner at 4,700 gs. This price was topped by the first of the fillies, namely, Rosalia, by Phalaris out of Rosmarin, as Mr. Jock Crawford, who on Monday had given 3,800 gs. for her dam, secured her at 5,000 gs.

The competition was keenest for Sample, an extremely racing-like bay, by Lemberg out of Silver Fowl, and therefore an own sister to Soubriquet, and it was not until 9,200 gs. were bid that Mr. H. E. Morriss beat off the opposition. That gentleman, it will be recalled, went to 12,500 gs. for Soubriquet on Monday. Rannoch, a bay by Phalaris out of Roselet, was taken by Mr. Scobie at 4,800 gs., and Mr. J. Crawford was the last bidder at 4,600 gs. for a business-like roan filly by Tetratema out of Radisto, named Caption. Delinquent, by Hurry On—Dilly Dally, goes into the Manton stable as the property of Mr. Washington Singer at 5,400 gs., while Mr. Creed secured Rustle, by Sunstar out of Russet, very reasonably at 2,300 gs.

On such an occasion as this other lots are apt to be completely overshadowed, and this was certainly the case now, for the top price amongst the rest fell short of four figures. This was 950 gs., at which a chestnut, own sister to Bright Maid, from the Midleton Park stud, was purchased by Lord Hillingdon.

At the evening sales biddings were again brisk, but only five lots reached four figures. These were:—Bay filly by Spearmint—Tut Tut (Mr. Horlock), 2,500 gs.; a chestnut filly by Pommern—Verity (Mr. S. Pickering), 2,400 gs.; a bay colt by Friar Marcus—Welfare (Lady Penrhyn), 2,200 gs.; a brown filly by Hurry On—Golden Lily (Mr. Boyd-Rochfort), 1,650 gs., and a chestnut filly by Diadumenos—Clara House (Colonel Carruthers), 1,050 gs.

THE MAZE.

BIG STEEPLECHASE WON BY LOCAL STABLE.

DOUBLE FOR T. COOMBS.

Not for many years was there a larger attendance at the Maze than yesterday, and, if runners were not as numerous as one would wish for, the afternoon's racing provided a nice entertainment and produced some exciting finishes. The overnight rain had the desired effect of taking the jar out of the ground, and the provision taken by Mr. J. Barbour to cover the landing side of the fences with peat moss litter was much appreciated and might be copied by other executives at times when the going gets so hard, as it now everywhere is.

The big steeplechase, as anticipated, did not bring out a large field, only six horses going to the post, but it was for all that a very fine race and the fact that all of the runners got round safely shows that the precautions taken to soften the landing sides of the jumps were successful. Of the runners announced in the morning, Westview was the only absentee, Mr. Murland's stable being represented by Soothing Glass alone. Fort Elizabeth remained a strong favourite up to the start, with Grecian Wave and Soothing Glass the only others backed with any confidence. Grecian Wave went into the lead at the start and remained there to the end, but so fast was she stopping at the end that the probability is Ingomar would have beaten her had the race been a furlong further. It was a very popular win, the owner, Mr. W. Hume, being a resident in the Maze district and has his horses trained privately by J. Tierney, at Ballytrain, Co. Down. Soothing Glass was the disappointment of the race, and after a mile and a half was out of the reckoning, and Fort Elizabeth found the weight too much.

T. Coombs's stable having broken the run of ill-luck attending it by winning with Ceylonese on Tuesday, continued in the new vein and appropriated two more races. Ceylonese, none the worse for his outing the previous day, cantered in front of Knockeffer all the way, to win the Lagan Plate in ready style, and the stable's other score was with Horatius in the Dromore Plate. It was only by a head that the latter scored from Glenmakerin, but had he not swerved in the last furlong his win would have been much easier. Zanoni flattered for a long way in the Abercorn Cup race, only to be relegated to second place beaten by Shining Jug, and Mr. D. J. Cogan's colours have now been placed second in five races in succession. Zain, probably feeling the effects of a hard race the previous day, made a very poor showing in the Welter Plate, and was beaten by Derryboy II. Blanconia had only Waterlog in opposition for the three miles steeplechase, and, leading throughout, the son of Great Sport had an easy win. Details:—

1.45—**THE DROMORE PLATE** of 50 sovs. A handicap flat race. 5 f.
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's br. c. HORATIUS, by Happy Warrior—Follicule, 3, 9-1 J. Lenehan 1
Capt. Dixon's GLENMAKERIN, 3, 8-12 Jas. Canty 2
Mr. H. Stockman's ZULU QUEEN, 5, 8-6 Jas. Doyle 3
Mr. F. A. O'Kane's White Hands, a, 7-9 P. J. Prendergast 0
Mr. T. F. M'Cutcheon's Princess Patsy, 4, 8-0 J. Patman 0
(Winner trained by T. Coombs.)

Betting—5 to 4 on HORATIUS, 3 to 1 agst. Zulu Queen, 7 to 2 Glenmakerin, 12 to 1 any other.

Horatius went off in front of Zulu Queen, Glenmakerin, and Princess Patsey. Inside the distance Glenmakerin took second place, and delivered a strong challenge, but failed to get on terms with Horatius, who, though swerving, won by a head; three lengths divided second and third.

2.15—**THE LAGAN PLATE** of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age, etc. 1½ m.
Mrs. T. Coombs's br. h. CEYLONESE, by Willonyx—Excelita, 6, 9-9 ....P. Fitzgerald 1
Capt. T. W. Hughes's KNOCKEFFER, 6, 9-13 A. Barrett 2
(Winner trained by T. Coombs.)

Betting—5 to 2 on CEYLONESE.

Ceylonese made all the running, and won easily by three lengths.

2.45—**THE MAZE STEEPLECHASE** of 350 sovs., of which the second receives 35 sovs. and the third 15 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2½ m.
Mr. W. Hume's b. m. GRECIAN WAVE, by Prince Hermes—Wavelass, a, 10-7 J. Meaney 1
Mr. L. F. Ball's INGOMAR, a, 11-1..M. Keogh 2
Mr. H. M'Alinden's FORT ELIZABETH, a, 12-9 J. Hogan, jun. 3
Mr. J. W. Murland's Soothing Glass, a, 12-1 F. B. Rees 0
Mr. J. Kiernan's Royal Dennis, 6, 10-5 J. M'Carthy 0
Mr. J. Murray's Rare Sort, a, 10-3 Mr. J. W. Cleary 0
(Winner trained by P. Tierney.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Fort Elizabeth, 3 to 1 GRECIAN WAVE, 7 to 2 Soothing Glass, 100 to 8 Ingomar or any other.

Grecian Wave settled down in front of Ingomar, Fort Elizabeth, Royal Dennis, and Rare Sort. At half way Fort Elizabeth took second place, but at the last fence was headed again by Ingomar, who challenged vigorously. Grecian Wave, however, retained the lead, and won by three-parts of a length; three lengths divided second and third. Rare Sort was fourth, and Royal Dennis fifth.

3.10—**THE ABERCORN CUP** of 75 sovs. (presented by His Grace the Duke of Abercorn), with 70 sovs. added, of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap. 7 f. 60 yds.
Mr. A. Morrow's ch. m. SHINING JUG, by Juggernaut — Lady Moonshine, 6, 8-0 A. Barrett 1
Mr. D. J. Cogan's ZANONI, 5, 9-12......M. Wing 2
Mr. J. J. M'Auley's CARLOVIA, 3, 7-11 J. Lenehan 3
Mr. T. Ray's Rhea, 3, 7-2..................J. Doyle 0
(Winner trained by J. Magee.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. SHINING JUG, 2 to 1 Carlovia, 7 to 2 Zanoni, 8 to 1 Rhea.

Carlovia made the running from Zanoni, Shining Jug, and Rhea to inside the distance, where Shining Jug drew out, followed by Zanoni, and won by two lengths; half a length divided second and third.

3.35—**THE WELTER PLATE** of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age, etc. 2¼ m.
Mr. J. Morrison's br. g. DERRYBOY II., by Strong Drink — Coss, a, 11-4 Mr. M. Morrison 1
Mr. W. F. Uprichard's ZAIN, 6, 11-7 (car. 11-8) Mr. P. Nugent 2
Mr. C. Lindsay's MARISKA, a, 11-7 Captain S Waring 3
(Winner trained by J. B. Morrison.)

Betting—4 to 1 on Zain, 6 to 1 agst. DERRYBOY II., 10 to 1 Mariska.

Mariska led for half a mile, when Derryboy II. went on from Zain, and, making the remainder of the running, won in a canter by thirty lengths; a length and a half divided second and third.

There was no bid for the winner.

4.0—**THE STORMOUNT PLATE** of 55 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 3 m.
Mr. F. Barbour's ch. h. BLANCONA, by Great Sport—Benedictine, 5, 11-5.....C. Donnelly 1
Mr. W. Grainger's WATERLOG, a, 10-11 Captain S. Waring 2
(Winner trained by C. Brabazon.)

No betting.

Blancona made all the running, and won by a length.

ACCEPTANCES.

LIVERPOOL MEETING.

THURSDAY, JULY 23.

THE ABBEYSTEAD PLATE (handicap) of 1,000 sovs. 1 m 6 f.

(Weights raised 5lb.)

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Obliterate ...	4	9	0	Concorde III...	3	7	11
Highbrow ...	6	8	13	Tamasha ...	4	7	5
Cloudbank ...	4	8	11	Pilum ...	4	7	3
Voltoi ...	4	8	2	Shagreen ...	5	7	1
Dark Fox (7lb. ex.) ...	6	8	0	Chapeau ...	5	6	12
				Gabrielle ...	5	6	5

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Daily Graphic:—Double—Gurzil and Swift Lad.

Daily Mirror:—Double—Prompt (nap) and Springshoot.

Westminster Gazette:—Double—Prompt and Cuckoo. To-day's best—Prompt.

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LIMERICK.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Although the stakes are modest in value, to-day's programme at Limerick has been well supported by owners, and sport of an enjoyable character should reward visitors to the Greenpark course, which, by the way, is reported to be in good order. A special train leaves Kingsbridge this morning at 9 o'clock and returns at 6.30. Selections are appended:

Thomond Plate—**Warfate** or **White Hill.**
Shannon Plate—**Stripes.**
July Plate—**St. Vin**; if absent, **Cairbre.**
Holiday Plate—**Mary Patricia.**
Welter Plate—**Clare Crag**; if absent, **Empress Royal.**
Munster Plate—**Lady Jenatzy.**

2.30—THE THOMOND PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m.
Age st. lb.
SAY (Mr. R. C. Ross)..........Moss a 12 7
CARRIG LONG (Mr. D. J. Power) H Harty 6 12 7
TRIM GATE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. J. T. O'Ryan) Parkinson 6 12 7
ST. EMINENCE (Mr. T. O'Keeffe) Collins 6 12 6
PRUDENT LAD (Capt. R. Teague) Kenny 6 12 0
RIVERSFIELD (Mr. J. G. Lynch) H Harty 5 11 11
RED LIGHT II. (Mr. D. Meagher) Owner 4 11 10
CROSS GATE (Mr. G. Ellard).......Coleman 4 11 10
WARFATE (Mr. W. F. Power)....Parkinson 6 11 8
PRECEPT (Mr. M. J. Hogan)........Owner 5 11 7
WHITE HILL (Capt. R. Teague).......Kenny 4 11 6
SABLE LADY (Mr. R. C. Ross)........Moss 5 10 12
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley)..........Owner a 10 10
SUNNEE (Mr. A. M'Cann)............Dawson 4 10 5
ALL PUT (10lb. ex.) (Mr. W. J. Corbett) Wallace a 10 3
RATHFARAN (Mr. H. J. Tully).......Owner a 9 11
GRECIAN PRINCESS (Mr. W. H. Frost) Gleeson a 9 8

3.0—THE SHANNON PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap. 6 f. 100 yds.
Age st. lb.
KILDARRA BOY (Mr. O'Driscoll) Dawson 4 10 6
PAXTON (Mr John O'Sullivan)........Owner 6 10 3
SPEARMOND (Mr. J. J. Foley)......Owner 3 9 11
IRISH IRE (Mr R. C. Ross)..........Moss a 9 10
WILD THISTLE (Mr H. J. Tully).....Owner 5 9 10
FORE AND AFT (Mr. Herbert Musker) Parkinson 3 9 4
SHY LASS (Mr. P. F. Cannon)........Moss 3 9 4
ROYAL AMBUSH (Mrs. H Harty) H Harty 3 9 3
STRIPES (Mr. R. Power)..............Doyle 3 9 3
COOL WARRIOR (Mr T. O'Keeffe)....Collins 5 9 0
LADY MARCIGNY (Mr J. Musker) Parkinson 4 8 13
SMART FASHION (Mr. R. C. Ross)...Moss 4 8 8
ROI KNIGHT (Mrs. Moss)..............Moss 3 8 7
HAPPY JEM (Mr. P. M'Gown).......Fordred 3 8 7
CASTLE DODD (Mr. R. C. Ross)......Moss 4 8 7
MUTUAL (Mr. C. Fagan)............Gleeson 3 8 7

3.30—THE JULY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m. 200 yds.
Age st. lb.
MENELAUS (Mr. R. Power)..........Usher a 12 [illegible]
ST. VIN (Mr. Maurice Moore)........Owner a [illegible] 4
GOLDEN CHERRY (Mr. John O'Sullivan) Owner a 11 2
CORONER'S GIFT (Mr. J. Long)....Gleeson 6 11 0
CAIRBRE (Mr. A. M'Cann)............Dawson 6 11 0
DONYLAND (Mrs. M. J. Harty) H. Harty a 10 13
DRIFTING PRINCE (Mr. T. Keays) Whelan a 10 13
MANISTER LASS (Mr. J. P. Hogan) Owner a 10 13
WOO WHOOP (Mr. D. P. O'Brien) Owner a 10 13
FELIX M. (Mr. J. T. Purcell)........Owner 5 10 12
BALLINACURRA BOY (Mr. W. J. Madden) H. Harty a 10 10
LADY IRENE (Mr. John O'Sullivan) Owner 4 10 4
BELLE FIELD (Mr. R. Wallace)......Owner a 10 2
MOYTURA (Mr. Jas. Clarke)......Brabazon 6 10 1
SHANACOWL (Mr. W. Murphy) ....Owner a 10 1
FLYING LABEL (Mr. B. O'Donnell) Owner 6 10 1
DAINTY LASS (Mr. T. Nunan)......Owner a 10 0
ATHLUNKARD (Capt. W. Molony) Owner a 10 0
LATAKIA (Miss M. Feore)............Feore a 10 0

4.0—THE HOLIDAY PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.
Age st. lb.
CARRIG LONG (Mr D. J. Power) H Harty 6 12 7
PEARLMORE (Miss M. McDonnell) McGrath 6 12 5
PRUDENT LAD (Capt. R. Teague) Kenny 6 12 0
HOMELAND (Mrs. H Harty)...H. Harty a 11 2
DRIFTING PRINCE (10lb. ex.) (Mr. T. Keays) Whelan a 11 1
MARY PATRICIA (Mrs. T. O'K. White) Dawson 5 11 0
HOLLYFORD (Mr. F. N. Grene).......Moss 4 10 10
HUNTING HALL (Mr. T. J. Vaughan) McCabe a 10 9
REFORMATION (Mr. R. C. Ross)...Moss a 10 6
TANTIDDERY (Mr. J. W. Osborne)....Owner 5 10 5
BALLINACURRA BOY (Mr. W. J. Madden) H. Harty a 10 4
MOOR MAIDEN (Mr. R. L. Philpot) Owner 5 10 4
DINIS ISLAND (Mr. T. J. O'Connor) Owner 6 10 3
COCQUAL (Mrs. E. A. Dodd)........Collins 6 10 0
GAY CAVALIER (Mr. J. O'Sullivan) Owner a 9 10
ERIN REMEMBER (Capt. C. B. Harty) M. Harty a 9 7
RICHMOND (Mr. N. J. Grene).........Moss a 9 7
TENDER PROSPECTS (Mr. J. C. Ryan) Owner 6 9 7

4.30—THE WELTER PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight for age flat race. 2 m.
Age st. lb.
REXTHORPE (Dr. D. P. O'Brien) ..Owner a 12 2
DUSKY NATTY (Mr. Jas. Power) Owner a 12 2
PIKEMAN (Mr. E. Walsh)............Owner 6 12 2
SHEMUS (Mr. E. Flannery)............Moss 5 12 0
RATHANY (Mr John O'Sullivan) O'Sullivan 5 12 0
O'LOUGHLIN (Mrs. J. Wiseman)...Hayes 6 12 2
VINEGAR (Mrs. T. H. Wallace)...Wallace 5 12 0
LAURENCE (Mr. T. R. Maguire)...Feore 5 12 0
BRACKBAWN (Mr. E. Borle) ....Owner 4 11 7
RANAHAN (Mr R. J. Duggan).........Ussher 4 11 7
CLARE CRAG (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) Owner 4 11 7
FRANKFORT LODGE (Mr. J. T. Purcell) Owner 4 11 7
ERIN'S MAID (Mr. R. C. Ross).......Moss 4 11 7
EMPRESS ROYAL (Mr. T. Foley) M. Harty 4 11 7
HOLLYFORD (Mr. F. N. Grene).......Moss 4 11 7
GALLOPING SAXHAM (Mr. W. Murphy) Owner 4 11 7
BROWN JUG (Mr. T. Ray)............Owner 5 11 0

5.0—THE MUNSTER PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 3 sovs. A weight for age steeplechase. 3 m.
Age st. lb.
GOLDEN REBEL (Mrs. Croft).........Usher a 12 4
YOUNG GUARDSMAN (Mr. W. Murphy) Owner 6 11 7
LADY JENATZY (Mrs. H. Smith)...Smyth a 11 2
LATAKIA (Miss M. Feore)...........Feore a 11 2
MR. GEORGIE (Mr. E. Walsh).........Owner a 11 2
NOT READY (Mr. E. Bird)............Owner a 10 10
FIGHTING FIT (Mrs. P. Murphy) Murphy a 10 10
QUARRY HILL (Mrs. J. Quinlan)...Owner 6 10 10

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

Vera is under orders to run for the Irish Oaks.

Non-runners at Newmarket to-day include the following:—Reach Plate—Henley filly. Bury Handicap—Provenance.

At Bath to-day the following are non-runners:—Channel Plate — Royal Ensign. County Selling—Pantagruel II.— Moderate Plate—Blythswood. Doubtful runner—Moderate Plate—Postino.

The Manton stable will be represented in the Eclipse Stakes, at Sandown Park, to-morrow by Cross Bow and Black Sheep. Wraf was expected to run in the Great Kingston Plate, but has unfortunately gone lame, and the stable will rely on Cistus.

Earl, in the presence of Mr. Sol Joel, yesterday gave his Anniversary Cup candidate, Green Fire (H. Leach), his Eclipse Stakes candidate, Polyphontes, and The Monk (Malen) a nice striding stripped nine furlong gallop. Polyphontes pulled up sound and well.

Sir R. Jardine's colt, Obliterate, has finished his racing career, and it is intended to send him to the stud forthwith. He won eight races during his three seasons on the Turf, including the Brocklesby Trial Stakes at Lincoln and the Northumberland Plate at Carlisle.

Captain H. S. Barclay, who recently got into the last eight at Wimbledon, and who travelled straight from Ireland to London after playing for England in Dublin yesterday, won two matches and walked over in another in the Army singles of the Army and Royal Air Force championships meeting at Queen's Club, Kensington.

Jockeys' engagements at Bath to-day include, among others, the following:—Channel Plate—Kish le Shee gelding (Richards), The Cid (F. Lane), Breslane (J. Sirett), Purler (Fox). Blathwayt Plate—Haut et Bon (Fox), Mother Machree (Richards), Iceberg (F. Lane), Swagman or Papa Blinks (Sirett). Somerset Handicap—Stolen Fruit (Richards), Done Up (J. Sirett). County Selling—Ash Tray (Richards). Maiden Plate—Celandine colt (F. Lane), Brusselton (Fox), Sonnet (Richards).

Jockeys' engagements at Newmarket to-day include the following:—1 o'clock—Dignity (Bullock), Prompt (Wragg), Gonedry (R. Jones). 1.30—Goura gelding (J. Leach), Berkeley Square (Jelliss), Prusa (Walsh), Set Dance (Wragg). 2.0—Jort (Childs), Aruntius (K. Robertson), Pilum (Pryor). 2.30—Buoyant (Perryman), Kolinsky (Wragg), Gonedry (R. Jones). 3.0—Huntersdale (Wragg), Touch-and-Go (McLachlan), Gay Bird (Bullock), Helter Skelter (Weston). 3.30—Glitter Gold (Wragg), Racla (Sirett).

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"Daily Express" Scout's Safety Bet.—Newmarket, 2.0—ACQDJ2CQJ, each way. Income Tax Man.—Newmarket, 3.0—FGMUGQ5IGMUGQ, each way.
See "Sunday Express" for explanation of code.

NEWMARKET RESULTS.

2.0—**T.Y.O. SELLING PLATE** of 200 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. H. Dyke Dennis's HEMISPHERE RIG, by Polyphonic, 8-11 ....R. Jones 1
Mr. R. Day's BIALA GELDING, 8-8......Smirke 2
Sir L. Richardson's SPROUGHTON LADY FILLY, 8-8 ....C. Elliott 3

Also ran—Merry Wit (V. Sleigh), Waveworn (S. Ward), Allies' Offensive (J. Leach), Palmist (H. Jelliss), Brown Margaret colt (A. Brand), Hern (H. Leach), Stung Again (F. Bullock), Corrie Maran (R. Perryman), Sweet Sister gelding (R. Haworth), Revoke filly (W. McLachlan, jun.), Acclamation filly (G. Archibald), Wazira (T. Harvey), White Corn (W. Alford), Elmfield (G. Walsh), Slip Knot (Lewis), Glen Tree (G. Smith), Spring Maiden (H. Wragg), Pousectte (B. Carslake), Daring (A. Haynes). Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Cottrill.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Spring Maiden, 5 to 1 Sproughton Lady filly, 6 to 1 Palmist, 100 to 15 HEMISPHERE RIG, 8 to 1 Biala gelding, 100 to 8 each Waveworn and Merry Wit, 100 to 6 any other. "Sporting Life"—11 to 2 agst. Sproughton Lady filly, 7 to 1 HEMISPHERE RIG, 10 to 1 Merry Wit, 100 to 6 each Waveworn or any other; other quotations same as "Sporting Chronicle."

Won by half a length; a short head. Palmist was fourth and Corrie Maran last.

The winner was sold to Mr. J. Scoble for 620 gns.

2.30—**SWAFFHAM WELTER HANDICAP.** A plate of 200 sovs. Second 20 sovs. 1 m.
Sir W. de Frece's ch. h. BRIDGE OF DUN, by Bridge of Earn—Forfaria, 5, 8-13 R. Jones 1
Lord Durham's ROYSTERER, 4, 8-13 T. Weston 2
Lord Glanely's SKYBLAZE, 3, 7-8 .....H. Leach 3

Also ran—Torch Bearer II. (H. Beasley), Fodder (H. Wragg), Unison (G. Walsh), Solitary (R. Perryman), May Come (J. Leach), Kilmoon (W. McLachlan, jun.), Lighthead (A. Haynes), Holibonic (W. Murch), Cloth of Gold (D. Bonham), Noisy Oyster (J. Sirett), Ostia (W. Alford), Sandeman (T. Pryor). Off 2.34. (Winner trained by Cottrill.)

Betting.—"Sporting Chronicle"—11 to 8 agst. Roysterer, 11 to 2 Solitary, 6 to 1 Lighthead, 10 to 1 each BRIDGE OF DUN and Kilmoon, 100 to 8 each Unison and Cloth of Gold, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by three-parts of a length, a length. Unison was fourth and Sandeman last.

3.0—**ZETLAND PLATE** of 300 sovs. Three-year-olds. Second 20 sovs. 1¼ m.
Mr. R. W. Colling's b. g. DUVET, by Cygnus—Killinchy, 8-10 ....J. Childs 1
Lord Zetland's POMEROY, 8-13 W. McLachlan, jun. 2
Lord Penrhyn's FIELD DAY, 7-9 ....T. Weston 3

Also ran—The Wooden Horse (H. Jelliss). Off 3.2. (Winner trained by R. W. Colling.)

Betting — "Sporting Chronicle"—Evens Pomeroy, 9 to 4 agst. DUVET, 9 to 2 The Wooden Horse, 100 to 8 Field Day. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by two lengths; four lengths.

3.30—**JULY HANDICAP.** A sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. Second 50 sovs., third 20 sovs. 6 f.
Mrs. S. Whitburn's b. c. FIELD ARGENT, by Phalaris—Silver Wand, 3, 7-13 ..R. Jones *
Lord Derby's br f. BLANCHISSEUSE, by Phalaris—Whitewash, 3, 7-10 ..T Weston *
Capt. G. C. H. Davy's BLACK GOWN, a, 9-0 G. Walsh 3
Mr. P. Nelke's Defiance, 4, 8-1 ......H. Jelliss 0
Mr. F. T. Halse's Princeps, 3, 7-8 .....T. Pryor 0
Mrs. H. Peddington's Rhyolite, 3, 7-8 J. Sirett 0
Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen's Warrior's Shield, 3, 7-7 W. McLachlan, jun. 0
Mr. A. Buston's Little Mark, 3, 7-1 ..H. Leach 0
* Dead-heat. Stakes divided.

Off at 3.34. (Field Argent trained by Cottrill; Blanchisseuse trained by G. Lambton.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—3 to 1 agst. Black Gown 4 to 1 Defiance, 9 to 2 FIELD ARGENT, 11 to 2 Princeps, 100 to 15 Warrior's Shield, 10 to 1 BLANCHISSEUSE, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Princeps delayed the start. Black Gown, on the extreme right, showed the way to Princeps, on the left, Little Mark and Defiance, in the centre, and Blanchisseuse, on the left, for half a mile, when Field Argent went on third, attended by Blanchisseuse. In the dip the two last mentioned challenged Black Gown, a desperate finish resulting in a dead-heat for first place, with Black Gown, a short head away, third. Rhyolite was fourth, Princeps fifth, and Little Mark last.

4.0—**TWO YEARS OLD SALE STAKES** of 5 sovs. each, 2 ft., with 200 sovs. added. Second 30 sovs. out of stakes. 5 f. 140 yds.
Mrs. E. A. V. Stanley's ch. g. KING PLUTO, by Roi Hero—Proserpine, 8-8 ......J. Leach 1
Mr. F. W. Horlock's JIBTOPSAIL, 7-3 H. Leach 2
Mr. J. Butters' BULL BEE, 8-5 ......H. Jellis 3

Also ran—Inky Boy (H. Beasley), Mouth Organ filly (C. Elliott), Stilla (R. Jones), Sharpthorne (W. Alford), Silver Lad (F. Wadsworth), Irish Princess (T Pryor), Violet (G. Walsh). Off at 4.3. (Winner trained by Major Beatty.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 4 agst KING PLUTO, 9 to 2 Stilla, 6 to 1 Jibtopsail, 8 to 1 Irish Princess, 10 to 1 each Bull Bee and Inky Boy, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Life"—5 to 1 agst. Stilla; other quotations same as "Sporting Chronicle."

Won by three-parts of a length; a short head. Irish Princess was fourth and Silver Lad last.

4.30—**FALMOUTH STAKES** of 20 sovs. each, with 300 sovs. added. Three years old fillies. Second 75 sovs., and owner of third saves stake. 1 m.
Mrs. S. Whitburn's ch. f. BAR SINISTER, by Bachelor's Double—Armorial Ensign, 8-7 R. Jones 1
Mr. C. W. Gordon's SERADELLA, 8-7 J. Childs 2
Mr. H. C. Sutton's LADY CLARINA, 8-7 G. Archibald 3
Lord Astor's Spick and Span, 8-2 ....F. Bullock 0
Mr. R. F. Watson's Sceptical, 8-2 ......T. Pryor 0

Off at 4.32. (Winner trained by Cottrill.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—11 to 10 agst. Lady Clarina, 4 to 1 BAR SINISTER, 11 to 2 Seradella, 6 to 1 Spick and Span, 10 to 1 Sceptical. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Spick and Span, on the right, led from Sceptical, on the right, Seradella and Lady Clarina, for about half the journey, when the last-named forced the pace, pursued by Seradella. The pair were challenged in the dip by Bar Sinister, who got the best of a strenuous finish to win by a neck; a short head separated second and third. Spick and Span was last.

5.0—**APPRENTICES' PLATE** (Handicap) of 106 sovs. Second 5 sovs. 1 m.
Mr. I. Isaacs's ch. c. BALKAN, by Long Set—Harama, 3, 7-2 ....B. Cooksey 1
Mr. J. B Leigh's GIPSY LASS, 3, 7-4 Goddard 2
Sir B. Sheffield's MISTRAL, 3, 7-0 ....H. Jones 3

Also ran—Star Bright (G. Younger), Wittol (C. Gubby), Top o' th' League (L. Jacobs), Hogier (W. Stephenson), Smilax (Noble), Forest Girl (R. Jacks), Rosyth II. (Freeman). Off at 5.3. (Winner trained by Hyams.)

Betting—"Sporting Chronicle"—5 to 2 agst. Gipsy Lass 7 to 2 Star Bright, 5 to 1 Smilax, 10 to 1 each Forest Girl and Top o' th' League, 100 to 8 Wittol, 100 to 5 BALKAN, 25 to 1 any other. "Sporting Life"—Same.

Won by a length and a half; a length. Top o' th' League was fourth and Rosyth II. last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

There should be some capital racing at Newmarket to-day. If reports are correct Taylor will introduce a smart youngster in the Chesterfield Stakes, this being a filly named Gay Bird, who should win. The principal race, the Summer Handicap, is expected to bring into opposition Mandelieu, Carbonaro, and Vionnet, who were respectively first, third and fourth in the Ascot Stakes. They are closely handicapped on that form, but I shall anticipate Carbonaro proving the best of them this time, as he never runs so well as on this course, and was a smart winner at the last meeting. Orange Pip misses the Reach Selling Plate with a view to a Sandown engagement. In her absence Swale should win. Selections:—

Midsummer Stakes—**Prompt.**
Reach Plate—**Swale.**
Summer Handicap—**Carbonaro*.**
Histon Handicap—**Air Chariot.**
Chesterfield Stakes—**Gay Bird.**
Bury Handicap—**Orenza.**

1.0—MIDSUMMER STAKES of 20 sovs. each, with 400 sovs. added. Second rec. 75 sovs. and 3rd 25 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1 m.
st. lb.
DIGNITY (Sir Charles Hyde)..........Scobie 8 12
GONEDRY (Mr. H. Dyke Dennis).....Cottrill 8 4
PIGEON POST (Mr. Whitburn)......Cottrill 8 2
(The above have arrived.)
MANNA (Mr. H. E. Morriss).....F. Darling 9 7
SAUCY SUE (Ld. Astor)...............Taylor 9 4
PICAROON (Mr. A. R. Cox)...........Taylor 9 3
ZAMBO (H.H. Aga Khan)..........R. Dawson 9 3
VERMILION PENCIL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 9 3
SPARUS (Mr. W. M. G. Singer).......Taylor 9 3
MOTLEY (Mr. P. Ralli) ....A. Sadler 9 3
GLOMMEN (Mr. Sol Joel)...............Earl 9 3
SUNDERLAND (Ld. Glanely)..........Barling 9 3
WARDEN OF THE MARCHES (Ld. Lonsdale) ....F. Darling 9 3
STRID (Ld. Harewood) ....B. Jarvis 8 12
PHALAROS (Mrs. Arthur James)...Lambton 8 12
JOY RIDER (Ld. Rosebery)..........J. Jarvis 8 12
BLANC MANGE (H.H. Aga Khan).R. Dawson 8 9
EL CACIQUE (Sir G. Bullough)....J. Jarvis 8 7
PONS ASINORUM (Mr. A. Lowry) Hugh Powney 8 7
INSTEP (Mr. Reid Walker).........C. Doyle 8 7
BLUE FAIRY (Mr. H. T. Ratcliffe) Wal Griggs 8 4
SWEET ROCKET (Ld. Londonderry) Pickering 8 4
PROMPT (Mr. Sol Joel)...................Earl 8 4
GOLDBOUND (Lady Edgar)..........C. Davis 8 4
MISS GADABOUT (Lord Astor)......Taylor 8 4
ETHNARCH (Sir George Bullough).J. Jarvis 8 2
IMPERIAL EAGLE (Mr. Corrigan) D. Waugh 8 2
COLOSSEUM (Ld. Hillingdon)....S. Darling 8 2
PERILLUS (Ld. Lascelles)........W. Jarvis 8 2
DIAGORAS (Mr. A. K. Macomber).S. Darling 8 2
CONSTANTIUS (Sir H. Meux)........Persse 8 2
FONTAINVILLE (Mr. S. Moore).......Private 8 2
ORBILIUS (Sir Samuel Scott)....S. Darling 8 2
CHUBASCO (Mr. S. J. Unzue).........Private 8 2
EL ZORINO (Mr. S. J. Unzue)........Private 8 2
INVERSHIN (Mr. Reid Walker).....C. Doyle 8 2
ST. CROIX (Ld. Woolavington)........Gilpin 8 2
PHAETHON (Mr. Armitage)....Farquharson 7 13
DOOR-STOP (Sir Abe Bailey)..........R. Day 7 13
PRETTY MAID (Mr. J. J. Maher)..P. Behan 7 13
PARANA (Ld. Sefton) ....H. Sadler 7 13
SNIP SNAP (Ld. Lonsdale)......F. Darling — —

1.30—REACH SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. Two-year-olds. 5 f. 140 yds.
st. lb.
HEMISPHERE rig. by Polyphonic (Mr. H. Dyke Dennis) .... Cottrill 8 11
STILLA (Mr. Cottrill) (£300)..........Owner 8 3
(The above have arrived.)
HUNTERSDALE (Mrs. Sol Joel) ....Earl 8 11
FAIRY WAND C., by Spearmint (Mr. R. Swanwick) .... J. Dawson 8 11
ELMFIELD (Mr. J. Ramsden)...Pickering 8 8
COED CANLAS (Mr. Cottrill)..........Owner 8 8
MOHUN (Lord Stanley) .... Lambton 8 8
T.A.B. (Mr. R. W. Collings)............Owner 8 8
KENSINGTON COTTAGE (Sir G. Noble) (£300) ....Whitaker 8 6
FRANCISQUE (Mrs. Sol Joel) (£300)...Earl 8 6
GOURA G., by Righ Mor (Mr. Ash) (£300) H. Leader 8 3
DIAMOND HALL G., by Thrush (Mr. R. L. Glasspool) (£300) .... C. Leader 8 3
QUITE ALONE (Eleanor Lady Torrington) (£300) .... Bartholomew 8 3
BERKELEY SQUARE (Mr. Lysaght) (£300) B. Jarvis 8 1
POOR NED (Mr. C. Leader) (£300) Owner 8 1
KHAMWESE (Mr. D. Fraser) (£300) R. Day 8 1
ORANGE PIP (Mr. Cottrill) (£300)...Owner 8 1
MAORI CHIEF (Mr. Jarvis) (£300) Owner 8 1
SPECTRE F., by Braxted (Mr. Ardern) (£300) ....J. Cannon 7 12
TINAHELY F., by Cygnus (Mr. Ash) (£300) H. Leader 7 12
MOUNTAIN SLIDE (Mrs. Bancroft) (£300) Easterbee 7 12
HENLEY F., by Golden Orb (Sir W. Cooke) (£300) ....Platt 7 12
ACCLAMATION F., by Sky-rocket (Lord Glanley) (£300) ....Barling 7 12
SET DANCE (Mrs. Sol Joel) (£300) Earl 7 12
ZELTINGDRAFT (Capt. Goddard) (£300) Toon 7 12
MIDINETTE (Mr. de Reuter) (£300) Kirk 7 12
SPROUGHTON F. by Bay d'Or (Sir L. Richardson) (£300) .... J. Jarvis 7 12
DOODIE F., by Sunbright (Sir L. Richardson) (£300) .... J. Jarvis 7 12
PRUSA (Col. B. Fairfax) (£300)...Beatty 7 12
SWALE (Mr. S. H. Darling) (£300) Owner 7 12
BLUE MOR (Mr. Mackellar) (£300) F. Butters 7 12
BIALA G., by Sky-rocket (Mr. R. Day) (£300) ....Owner 7 12
AROON F., by Battle-axe (Mr. Leader) (£300) ....Owner 7 12

2.0—SUMMER HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 15 sovs. each, with 600 sovs. added for winner, 70 sovs. for second, and 30 sovs. for third. 2m. 24yds.
Age st. lb.
PILUM (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) ...Taylor 4 7 13
VIONNET (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 4 7 2
ARUNTIOS (Mrs. D'Arcy Baker) Martin 4 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
HOHNECK (M. Eknayan) Bartholomew 4 9 8
LEONARDO (Mr. A. R. Cox) ......Taylor 4 9 8
CREWE (Lord Rosebery) ....J. Jarvis 4 9 0
CARBONARO (Ld. Howard de Walden) D. Waugh 5 9 0
TRANSCENDENT (Ld. Churchill) Gooch 4 8 12
JORT (Lt.-Col. C. W. Birkin) C. Leader 6 8 12
MANDELIEU (Lord Derby) ...Lambton 4 8 10
DIAPASON (Mr. W. A. Read) ...Gooch 4 8 10
TOMY II. (Comte G. de Chavagnac) France 3 7 13
KWANNON (Mr. W. M. G. Singer) Davies-Scourfield 5 7 13
PRIORI II. (Comte G. de Chavagnac) France 3 7 10
WILD SCOT (Mr. Frank Curzon) Watts 4 7 10
KENTISH GLADE (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 3 7 9
IRONBRIDGE (Mr. B. Jarvis) ...Owner 5 7 8
NORTH BUCKS (Mr. R. Day) ...Owner 4 7 3
BLAIRTOI (Mrs. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 3 7 2
SHINING SPEAR (Mrs. C. W. Gordon) Whitaker 4 7 0
DESERT CHIEF (Mr. Sturdy) T. Leader 5 7 0
ESTUNA (Mr. B. E. Parker) ....a 7 0
LAMINTONE (Sir F. Freake) ...MacColl 4 7 0
BRIDAL-CHAMBER (Mr. Fox) J. Jarvis 3 7 0

2.30—HISTON THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP, a sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, 3 ft., with 300 sovs. added. Second receives 50 sovs. 7 f.
st. lb.
VALDORE (10lb. ex.) (Lord Allendale) B. Jarvis 9 10
GONEDRY (Mr. H. D. Dennis).......Cottrill 8 10
SPRINGSHOOT (Mr. G. Robinson)....Pope 8 4
ISTRIA (Mr. S. Tattersall)..............Taylor 8 1
SWISS GUARD (Mr. Macomber)....Crawford 7 13
GIFTED (Mr. A. Heathorn)...........Tabor 7 5
KING'S PARADE (Mr. de Rothschild)..Pratt 7 1
(The above have arrived.)
BLANCHISSEUSE (10lb. ex.) (Lord Derby) Lambton 9 3
GRANDPRE (Ld. Derby)...............Lambton 8 13
SHERWOOD STARR (Sir A. Bailey) ...Day 8 7
IMPERATOR (Sir H. C-Owen).......O. Bell 8 7
AIR CHARIOT (Sir S. Watts).......F. Scott 8 6
BESSBOROUGH (Mr. Lysaght)....B Jarvis 8 5
DURABILITY (Mr. R. Day)...........R. Day 8 4
PENSAOOLA (Mr. Gaulstaun).........O. Bell 8 4
BUOYANT (Mr. A. Rothschild)......Watson 8 3
KOLINSKY (Sir R. Jardine).....R. Colling 8 0
SET FAST (Mr. S. Joel)..............W. Earl 7 13
WANG (Sir J. Rutherford)............R. Day 7 13
DAVID GARRICK (Mr. S. Cohen)....Tabor 7 12
NIGEL (Ld. Rosebery).................J. Jarvis 7 12
MULTIJUGA (Mr. J. Ramsden).....Pickering 7 6
CASTLEDERG (Mrs W. Beatty).....Beatty 7 5

3.0—CHESTERFIELD STAKES of 30 sovs. each, 20ft.; two-year-olds. Second receives 100 sovs., and third saves stake. 5 f.
st. lb.
BUCCAROO (Mr. Macomber)........Crawford 8 10
THE ADJUTANT (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) Pratt 8 10
VOLTA'S PRIDE (Mr. E. L. Short) Nugent 8 10
GAY BIRD (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 8 7
(The above have arrived.)
JESSEL (Mr. Sol Joel).......................Earl 9 3
WHITE FLAG (Mr. Sol Joel)..............Earl 9 3
PLIMSOL (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 8 10
BOOKLET (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 8 10
PARTI (Sir Abe Bailey)..................R. Day 8 10
TOLGUS (Mr. Basset) ....Persse 8 10
HARPAGON (Sir G. Bullough) ...J. Jarvis 8 10
DUKE OF BUCKINGHAM (Mr. Cazalet) Taylor 8 10
ROYAL SUN (Mrs. S. Joel)...........Cottrill 8 10
PHEIDON (Mr Cottrill).................Owner 8 10
AMILCAR (H.H. Aga Khan)...R. Dawson 8 10
CAISSOT (Lord Derby).................Lambton 8 10
HELTER SKELTER (Ld. Derby)....Lambton 8 10
ROYAL FALCON (Mrs. Drummond) Leach, jun. 8 10
WATER MELON (Ld. Ellesmere)...Pickering 8 10
ROMANY RYE (Mr. Hornung)......B. Jarvis 8 10
PRETTY MISSIE C. by Gainsborough (Sir R. W. B. Jardine)..................T. Waugh 8 10
MY DOLLY C. by Pommern (Mr. J. B. Joel) ....C. Peck 8 10
HUNTERSDALE (Mrs. Sol Joel).........Earl 8 10
CIMIEZ (H.H. Aga Khan)..........R. Dawson 8 10
BULGARIAN (Ld. Lascelles)......W. Jarvis 8 10
WELSH RAREBIT C. by Grand Parade (Col. Lundgren) ....Persse 8 10
ORION'S BELT (Maj. McCalmont)...Persse 8 10
ASTROLOGER (Maj. McCalmont)......Persse 8 10
REDDITOR (Sir Hedworth Meux).......Persse 8 10
LANCHESTER (D. of Portland)...F. Darling 8 10
ROLLS ROYCE (D. of Portland) F. Darling 8 10
SOUTHBOURNE (Mr. Raphael)...G. Sadler 8 10
CANDELABRA (Mr. A. de Rothschild) J. Watson 8 10
AUTOCRAT (Mr. H. E. Steel) ......Whitaker 8 10
ICEMAN (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 8 10
ST. BARNABRIGHT (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 8 10
PREFECT (Mrs. S. Whitburn) ....Cottrill 8 10
SMITH SEAL (Mr. James White)...L. Ward 8 10
SUNNY VIEW (Mr. James White)...L. Ward 8 10
TOUCH AND GO (Capt. H. Whitworth) Boyd-Rochfort 8 10
MARK TAPLEY (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling 8 10
LEGIONNAIRE (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling 8 10
FRIAR WILE (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 8 10
CLOISTER BELL (Mr. Benson) M. Hartigan 8 7
KOBANG (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) ....Owner 8 7
BROCADE (Mr. A. R. Cox) ....Taylor 8 7
DONNINA (Ld. D'Abernon) ....Lambton 8 7
ANNE CLIFFORD (Ld. Lonsdale) F. Darling 8 7
STASIARCH (Ld. H de Walden) D. Waugh 8 7
DARYA MAHAL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 8 7
LITTLE ISABEL (Mr. Worthington) F. Butters 8 7
RANT (Lord Rosebery) ....J. Jarvis 8 7
SPRIGHTLY (Lord Rosebery) ....J. Jarvis 8 7
ZENOBIA (Mr. A. de Rothschild) J. Watson 8 7
ROSE OF SHARON (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild) ....Pratt 8 7
VERVELLE (Ld. Woolavington)...F. Darling 8 7
BRAES OF YARROW (Ld. Woolavington) Gilpin 8 7

3.30—BURY HANDICAP of 200 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs. 5 f.
Age st. lb.
PIGEON POST (Mrs. Whitburn) Cottrill 3 8 4
JOHN DENIS (Sir A. Bailey) F. Hartigan 4 8 3
ORENZA (Mr. D. M. Gant)...P. Lowe 3 7 11
(The above have arrived.)
DALNAMEIN (10lb. ex.) (Mrs. Drummond) ....F. Darling 4 9 11
BACK STAIR (Lord Allendale) B. Jarvis 4 9 4
FAIRY ELF (10lb. ex.) (Mr. F. P. Finn) Toon 5 9 1
IRON MASK (Mrs. Whitburn) Cottrill 3 9 1
ST. GIRONETTE (Lady B. Smith) W. Waugh 3 8 11
TARPON (Mr. H. R. King) Leach, jun. 5 8 11
WITTEKLIP (Sir L. Richardson) J. Jarvis 3 8 11
LE PIERRE DE TANVILLE (Mr. A. K. Macomber) .... S. Darling 4 8 10
GLITTER GOLD (10lb. ex.) (Mr. H. Lines) .... Owner 4 8 10
MERMAID (Mr. F. L. Plummer) Cundell 5 8 9
CUMMUTER (Sir A. Bailye)......R. Day 3 8 8
DIAMETER (Mr. Broughton) Farquharson 4 8 7
GURZIL (Lady Sheffield).......J. Butters 4 8 3
CONSTELLATION (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 3 8 3
GRAND LADY (Lord Glanely)...Barling 3 8 3
FITZ ROY (Capt. G. C. H. Davy) Beatty 3 8 3
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir A. Bailey) R. Day 3 7 12
MALPAS (Mr. F. P. D. Case)...Owner 3 7 9
CUCKOO (Capt. Bewicke).........Owner 4 7 9
KISS THE ROD (Ld. Wyfold)...Wilmot 3 7 9
SWASTIKA (Lord Rosebery)...J. Jarvis 3 7 8
BACLA (Sir R. W. Jardine) T. Waugh 3 7 7
SPAHI (Mr. H. Pulitzer)......S. Darling 3 7 3
COOL CARESS (Maj. Ratliffe) W. Griggs 3 7 3
PROVENANCE (Mr. J. Bell)......Pope 3 7 2
POLIS (Mr. Sol Joel)..................Earl 3 7 1
SERGOS (Mr. H. W. Sadler)......Owner 3 7 0
LEMNOS (Ld. Ellesmere)......Pickering 3 7 0
KITTY MINT (Mr. P. Bartholomew) J. Kelly 3 7 0

ARRIVALS.—The horses indicated as arrived are in addition to those trained in the neighbourhood.

LATEST SCRATCHINGS:—Midsummer Stakes—Killinghurst, Dalmagarry. Reach Selling—Bruyere and Starworth filly. Summer Handicap—The Carpenter, Prince Sadim. Histon Handicap—Red Cardinal, Hennessy. Chesterfield Stakes—Sister Stella, Love in Idleness colt, Amoureuse filly, Bay Friar, Lembelle.

LEOPARDSTOWN SECOND SUMMER MEETING,

SATURDAY, JULY 18th.

FIRST RACE 3.0 p.m.

A Train, with reserved carriages for Members, leaves Harcourt Street Station at 2.0 p.m., returning from Foxrock at 5.50 p.m., after racing is over.

Members will only be admitted to reserved carriages on production of their badges.

On the introduction of a Member, tickets admitting to the Members' Enclosure can be obtained at the Members' Ticket Office on the Course. Gentlemen, 2 gns.; lady, 5/6.

Members are reminded that NEW ANNUAL BADGES DATED 1925-26 must be obtained for this Meeting.

Combined Tickets for Course and Enclosures (except Club Enclosure) can be obtained at the Booking Office at Harcourt Street Station on day of races.

Extreme measures will be taken to prevent betting outside the Stand Enclosures.

ROWING.

DERRY REGATTA.

The following is the draw for stations for Derry Regatta, which will be held to-day:—

Senior Eights—Heat A—Derry v. D.U.B.C. Heat B—Citie of the Tribes v. Bann. Final—Winner of A v. Winner of B.

Senior Fours.—Final—Derry, D.U.B.C., Citie of the Tribes, Bann.

Subscribers (second Senior Fours).—Heat A—Tribes, D.U.B.C., Derry. Heat B—Bann, Belfast Commercial. Final—Winner of B v. Winner of A.

Junior Eights.—Final—Derry, Bann, Drogheda.

Junior Fours.—Final—Bann, Belfast B.C., Drogheda, Derry.

Maiden Eights.—Final—D.U.B.C., Bann, Derry.

Maiden Fours.—Heat A—Belfast Commercial, Galway Commercial, D.U.B.C. Heat B—Bann, Belfast B.C., Derry. Final—Winner of A v. Winner of B.

Under-age Fours.—Final—Belfast B.C., Bann, Derry.

Senior Sculls.—Galway R.C., Lady Elizabeth B.C., Derry.

Junior Sculls.—Belfast Commercial, Bann.

All stations are in rotation, and count from the clubhouse side of the river.

BATH.

GOOD SPORT.

DEVONSHIRE BEATEN IN A GREAT FINISH.

In re-arranging their fixtures for the season the Bath executive brought in a July meeting and relinquished the October date, which involved them last year in a substantial loss. There were plenty of runners yesterday, and the sport was always good. Backers had the best of the initial deal with the fielders, as Branxholme, who was easily disposed of at Lingfield by the comparatively dark Fawn Way, was supported to recover the losses, and once the field had settled down he always appeared to have the issue in safe keeping.

Fiver has distinguished himself here before, and made light if his maximum burden in the City Handicap, being in front of the field from start to finish. Mountain Blue repeatedly attempted to dislodge young Marshall on the way to the starting post, and, after finishing second, he overpowered the lad and bolted round the course.

The July Handicap showed up Reecho in a poor light, while Devonshire, who started favourite, performed very little better, although he took part in a great finish, which saw Pass the Mint again displaying a partiality for the track in which he was assisted by young K. Godby.

The Two-Year-Old Plate furnished an interlude, of which the holiday section took full advantage. Illusion filly won the race from end to end, completing a double for the trainer, Templeman.

Happy Sinner appeared to outclass the opposition in the Longridge Plate, as did Lacock in the concluding event, the Moderate Mile Plate.

2.0—**BRISTOL SELLING HANDICAP PLATE** of 200 sovs. Second saves entrance. 6 f.
Miss F Goodman's br. m. BRANXHOLME, by Oliver Goldsmith—Noova, 6, 8-9 J. Brennan 1
Mr. S. Wootton's KOJINUP, 3, 7-6 .....R. Dick 2
Mr. E. G. Pease's EASTERN VALLEY, a, 7-5 W. Marland 3

Also ran:—Mister Black (J. Marshall), Blican (R. Grace), Syncopate (G. Richards), Moidore (F. Lane), Calthorpe (E. Piper), Lady B. (W. Morton), Barbarus (L. Drinkwater), Clean Baby (K. Godby). Off 2.1. (Winner trained by T. Hulme.)

Betting—"Sporting Life"—11 to 4 agst. BRANXHOLME, 5 to 1 each Syncopate and Kojinup, 6 to 1 Blican, 10 to 1 Moidore, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; a length. Lady B. was fourth and Calthorpe last.

The winner was bought in for 250 gns.

2.30—**CITY HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP PLATE** of 100 sovs. Winner and second free. 7 f.
Mr. S. R. Fearnall's b. h. FIVER, by Greenback—Padilla, 6, 9-0 ....F. Lane 1
Mr. C. S. Clarke's MOUNTAIN BLUE, 3, 6-9 J. Marshall 2
Mr. M. G. Hartigan's MENASSIER, 4, 7-12 G. Richards 3

Also ran:—Boniface (J. Brown), Manister Star (R. James), Goodford (K. Robertson), Creme d'Esocce. (W. Marland). Off 2.32. (Winner trained by Moreton.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. Menassier, 4 to 1 each FIVER and Creme d'Ecosse, 8 to 1 Mountain Blue, 10 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle."—Same.

Won by a length; three lengths. Manister Star was fourth and Goodford last.

3.0—**BATH JULY HANDCAP**, a Plate of 450 sovs. Second receives 35 sovs. and the third 15 sovs. 1½ m. and 200 yds.
Mr. F. Templeman's bl. g. PASS THE MINT, by Morena—Lady Mint, 6, 6-13 ..K. Godby 1
Mr T. Davidson's SHIPPON a, 8-0 ..J. Gillett 2
Mrs. A. Bendir's DEVONSHIRE, 4, 7-4 A. Burns 3
Mr. A. Eknayan's Hohneck, 4, 9-2 J. W. Martin 0
Col. M. Hughes's Re-Echo, 6, 9-0 ......B. Smart 0
Mr. J. Cooper's Irish Molly, 4, 7-1 ..G. Richards 0
Mr. A. Boutall's (jun.) Golden, 4, 6-12 B. Lynch 0
Mr. A. de Rothschild's Quandary, 4, 6-12 K. Robertson 0
Mr. C. W. Neville's Reading, a, 6-3 ...A. Berry 0
Mr. M. G. Hartigan's Ash Tray, 6, 6-2 J. McCormack 0

Off 3.1. (Winner trained by Templeman.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 agst. Devonshire, 5 to 1 Re-echo, 6 to 1 Irish Molly, 7 to 1 Shippon, 10 to 1 PASS THE MINT or any other. "Sporting Chronicle."—Same.

Hohneck and Golden dwelt. Quandary led to start off with, but on settling down Re-echo went on in front of Devonshire, Quandary, and Shippon, with Hohneck last. Six furlongs from home Quandary was again in front, but in the straight both she and Re-echo dropped right back, and Pass the Mint coming on the outside won a great race by a neck; a head separated second and third. Irish Molly was fourth, Golden fifth, Reading sixth, Quandary seventh, and Re-echo last.

3.30—**TWO YEARS OLD SELLING PLATE** of 200 sovs. Second saves entrance. 5 f.
Sir R. Kennedy's ILLUSION FILLY, by Sir Berkeley, 8-6 ....F. Fox 1
Mr. H. Collins' ROCK WILLIAM, 8-9.....F. Lane 2
Mr. J. A. de Rothschild's VANDERBLUFF, 8-9 ....G. Bezant 3

Off 3.30. (Winner trained by Templeman.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 on ILLUSION FILLY, 2 to 1 agst Rock William, 6 to 1 Vanderbluff. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by six lengths; eight lengths.

The winner was bought in for 300 gns.

4.0—**LONGRIDGE PLATE** of 200 sovs., for two years old. Second receives 10 sovs. 5 f.
Mr. G. Hardy's b. f. HAPPY SINNER, by Happy Warrior—Heath Saint, 8-6 G. Richards 1
Mr. H. L. Cottrill's COED CANLAS, 8-6 J. Gillett 2
Mr. J. A. de Rothschild's ROSE OF SHARON, 8-6 ....G. Bezant 3

Also ran—John Clanchy (H. Fortescue), Dumbiedykes (F. Fox), Cara Mia (W. Wells), Heatherdown (F. Lane), Nem Soha (J. McCormack), Panache F. (B. Smart). Off 4.2. (Winner trained by Hogg.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life."—5 to 2 agst HAPPY SINNER, 4 to 1 each Coed Canlas and Heatherdown, 6 to 1 Dumbiedykes, 8 to 1 Rose of Sharon, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; a length. Heatherdown was fourth, and John Clanchy last.

4.30—**MODERATE MILE PLATE** of 100 sovs., winner and second free. 1m.
Sir F. Price's ch. g. LACOCK, by Argosy—Sweet Louise, 5, 7-13..............H. Graves 1
Lady Cynthia Slessor's ARDLEY, 3, 7-11 F. Lane 2
Sir J. Robinson's PROCYON, 4, 7-13......F. Fox 3

Also ran—Irish Prince (K. Robertson), Sunnydale (J. Brennan), Midshipman (G. Richards), Dark Lassie (A. Berry). Off 4.30. (Winner trained by Gilbert.)

Betting.—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. LACOCK, 7 to 2 each Procyon and Midshipman, 5 to 1 Ardley, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.

Won by two lengths; a length and a half. Midshipman was fourth, and Dark Lassie last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

The meeting at Bath concludes to-day. Wootton has hopes of completing a treble by the aid of Breslane in the Channel Selling Plate, Done Up in the Somerset Handicap, and Papa Blinks in the Blathwayt Handicap. Selections for the afternoon are as follow:—

Channel Plate—**Breslane*.**
Blathwayt Handicap—**Papa Blinks.**
Somerset Handicap—**Done Up.**
County Handicap—**Creme D'Ecosse.**
Maiden Plate—**M. Hartigan's selected.**
Moderate Plate—**Swift Lad.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Carbonaro and Breslane.

2.0—CHANNEL ALL-AGED SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f.
Age st. lb.
BRESLANE (Mr. Wootton) ....Owner 5 9 0
ALMOND WINE (Capt. Sadler).....Poole 6 9 0
THE CID (Mr. F. Gretton)........Moreton 3 8 10
RADIATOR (Mrs. H. Bates)...........Saxby 4 8 6
CALTHORPE (Mr. Hands)...........Saxby 3 8 3
PURLER (Mr. Templeman).........Owner 3 8 3
SYNCOPATE (Miss Poole) ....G. Poole 4 8 3
RUHR (Mr. G. Hardy) ....Hogg 3 7 13
LEIRIEN (Mrs. Rich) ....— 3 7 13
ROSY RISTO (Mrs. Stevens)....Stevens 3 7 10
ST. PIERRE (Mr. Hoggett).....Anthony 6 6 10
(The above have arrived.)
GOLDEN DUKE (Mr. Richardson)..Doyle 6 9 0
WINDOVER (Mrs. A. Bendir).....Harper 4 8 10
ROYAL ENSIGN (Mr. Edge)......G. Poole 4 8 6
WINOYA (Mrs. N. Brownlee).......Higgs 3 8 6
ZEEVUST (Mr. Lightbody).....H. Stevens a 8 3
OLIVEBURY (Mrs. Ling) ....Smyth 4 8 3
PALMINGO (Mr. de Pledge)......J. Rhodes 3 7 10
VIOLET ROWLES (Mrs. Stevens)..Stevens 3 7 10
MARTERNE (Mr. Froome)...........Tabor 3 7 10
KISH-LE-SHEE G, by Louvois (Mr. B. Runciman) ....Owner 2 6 8

2.30—BLATHWAYT HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. Second 10 sovs. 5 f.
Age st. lb.
ICEBERG (Mr F. Gretton)......Moreton 3 8 8
FREE STATE (Mr. W. J. Waldron) R. Jones 4 7 11
ANCHORSHOLME (Mr. H. Rhodes) Coldbeck 6 7 9
MOTHER MACHREE (Mrs. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 3 7 7
PAINTBOX (Mr. A. E. Hesketh) Rimell 4 7 2
PAPA BINKS (Mr. S. Wootton)...Owner 3 6 10
(The above have arrived.)
HANGING FIRE (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) Owner 5 9 0
LADY CLARA (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill 6 8 10
SWAGMAN (Mr. S. Wootton)........Owner 3 8 8
ROSSIYA (Mr. Farquharson)........Owner 3 8 3
ROSE OF CRETE (Col. M. Hughes) Davies-Scourfield 3 7 8
HAUT ET BON (Maj. Cayzer)...Cooch 3 7 7
ANTIMAGIC (Mr. M. Osmond).....Larkin 3 7 8
THELMA (Capt. C. B. Petre) ...Rayson a 7 8
GLADIOLA (Ld. Ilchester)....F. Darling 3 7 4
SCOTTISCHE (Mr. R. H. A. Gresson) F. Hartigan 3 7 4
UNWORTHY (Mr. W. A. Read) Foster 3 7 4
FAWN WAY (Mr. B. M. Bullock) Owner 4 6 13
RUM AND COFFEE (Mrs. C. Stevens) C. Stevens 3 6 8

3.0—SOMERSET THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP of 400 sovs. Second receives 35 sovs., third 15 sovs. 1 m.
st. lb.
MARAKA (Mr. T. Davidson) ....Cottrill 8 0
STOLEN FRUIT (Mr. G. Hardy)......Hogg 7 13
BONIFACE (Mr. W. Waldron) ....R. Jones 7 5
I HOPE SO (Mrs. Borwick) ....Morris 7 1
FLIGHTY WINK (Mr. C. Phillips)...Gooch 6 12
FIDDLE AND I (Mrs. Stevens)...C. Stevens 6 6
(The above have arrived.)
WARDEN OF THE MARCHES (Lord Lonsdale) ....F. Darling 9 0
BAR SINISTER (Mrs. S. Whitburn) (inc. 10lb. ex.) ....Cottrill 8 3
HAND FROM HEAVEN (Mr. E. G. de Mestre) ....De Mestre 8 0
NESTOR (Mr. W. M. Cazalet) ....Taylor 7 8
DONE UP (Mr. T. B. Bennett)........Wootton 6 13
KING'S PARADE (Mr. J. de Rothschild) Pratt 6 13
TURKISH HOLIDAY (Sir D. Lindsay) Private 6 11
HELD FAST (Capt. J. Fielden) ...O. Bell 6 11
SCEPTICAL (Mr. R. Watson).........Taylor 6 8

3.30—COUNTY SELLING HIGH-WEIGHT HANDICAP of 200 sovs. 1 m. 4 f. 200 yds.
Age st. lb.
DRIVE ON (Capt. A. F. Sadler) Poole 6 8 10
GOLDEN FLEECE (Mr. J. Allen) Roberts a 7 9
CREME D'ECOSSE (Col. M. Hughes) Davies-Scourfield 3 7 5
PERICO (Mrs. C. Stevens) C. Stevens a 7 4
MACHALL (Mrs. A. H. Shorter) ...Saxby 5 7 2
GLARRYFORD (Mr. T. Hulme) ...Owner 5 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
PANTAGRUEL II. (Mr. G. C. Poole) Owner 6 9 3
LANDMAN (Mr. A. H. Barton) J. Scott a 8 7
FELIM (Mrs. H. Bryant) ....J. Scott a 7 13
ESPINO (Mr. G. N. Bennett) ...Owner 4 7 12
GROSVENOR LIGHT (Mrs. N. Roberts) Roberts 5 7 10
BALLYHANWOOD (Mr. C. W. Norman) Smyth 4 7 10
SHAPFELL (Major D. M. Methven) Powell 4 7 9
ASH TRAY (Mr. M. G. Hartigan) Owner 6 7 9
BARTOI (Mr. M. G. Hartigan) Owner 3 7 7
KISSING SONG (Mr. M. J. Cummins) Newey 4 7 5
HARD COURT (Mr. B. Bullock) Owner 4 7 5

4.0—MAIDEN (at closing) TWO-YEAR-OLD PLATE of 100 sovs. 5 f.
st. lb.
CELANDINE C. by Greenback (Mr. F. Gretton) ....Moreton 9 0
BANK NOTE C. by Honey Bee (Capt. F. ffrench Davis) ....Gilbert 9 0
SOLEIRA (Mr. Farquharson)...........Owner 9 0
GOLDEN CHAIN (Mr. Templeman) Owner 9 0
JACK RANN (Mr. de Rothschild) Pratt 9 0
BRUSSELTON (Mr. Fielden).........Robson 8 11
ARCITE (Mr. G. Johnstone)............Hogg 8 11
AGNOSTIC C. by Viceroy (Sir G. Noble) Whitaker 8 11
WHITE VEIL F. by Hurry On (Mr. Piggott) Owner 8 11
CHINESE ELEGANCE (Mrs. Whitburn) Cottrill 8 11
(The above have arrived.)
DENNIS (Sir A. Bailey).........F. Hartigan 9 0
DJANGLI (Mr. Stewart)................O. Bell 9 0
MESSIDOR (Mr. Purefoy)...........E. Harper 9 0
FLORAL KING (Mr. Read)............Foster 9 0
JAFAR (Sir A. Bailey)....................Cobb 9 0
CZARINA (Mr. Arkwright).............Persse 8 11
PRINCESS SHIMMY (M. M. Calmann) Taylor 8 11
IRISH SHORE (Mr. Collins)......L. Collins 8 11
AGNES GOLIGHTLY (Mr. D. Cooper) Rayson 8 11
AMBULANCE (Lady Cunliffe-Owen)....O. Bell 8 11
ABBOT'S SMILE (Ld. Dewar)...F. Darling 8 11
ORANGEADE (Mrs. Drummond)..F. Darling 8 11
HIMROD (Mr. George Hardy).........Hogg 8 11
SONNET (Mrs. Hartigan)......M. Hartigan 8 11
POLYCRETA F. by Long Set (Col. Michael Hughes) ....Davies-Scourfield 8 11
INQUISITIVE BERT (Mr. Jenner)...Private 8 11
CIGALE (Lt.-Col. Johnson)............Owner 8 11
MAFIA (Mrs. Kershaw)................O. Bell 8 11
THE LADY OWES (Sir D. Lindsay) Private 8 11
BAYONA (Lord Lonsdale).........F. Darling 8 11
PHILIPPA OF HAINAULT (Mr. Morley) M. Hartigan 8 11
JANE GOW F. by Decision (Ld. Portman) Farquharson 8 11
MINUTE MAN (Mr. Read)..............Foster 8 11
REBECCA (Mr. Robinson)............Private 8 11
LANTERN LIGHT (Mr. de Rothschild) J. Watson 8 11
PAINTED LADY G. by Argosy, dam by Prospector (Mr. Runciman)......Owner 8 11
GRANGE CON G. by Birlingham (Mr. B. Runciman) ....Owner 8 11
SANTA PAULA (Mr. Ryan)............Persse 8 11
GLEN TREE (Sir V. Sassoon)......Crawford 8 11
OLD FASHIONED MAID (Sir V. Sassoon) Crawford 8 11
FOX RIVER (Mr. Stanley).............Beatty 8 11
YAE (Mr. F. Templeman)..............Owner 8 11
TRENGOVE (Mr. Whitburn).......Cottrill 8 11
LADY ANGLER (Mr. White).......L. Ward 8 11
LADY OSWALD F. by Polygnotus (Sir Ernest Wills) ....De Winton 8 11

4.30—MODERATE LONG DISTANCE PLATE of 100 sovs. For three-year-olds and upwards that, to closing, have neither won a race value more than 110 sovs., nor raced of a mile or over collectively value 500 sovs. 1 m. 4 f. 200 yds.
Age. st. lb.
IRISH PRINCE (Major Campbell) Westmorland a 8 1
ARDLEY (Lady C. Slessor)...Templeman 3 7 8
BIG BLACK BOY (Mrs. Stevens) Stevens 3 7 1
SWIFT LAD (Mr. G. Hardy)..........Hogg 3 7 1
FLIGHTY WINK (Mr. Phillips)...Gooch 3 6 12
(The above have arrived.)
MERRY MINER (Mr. Brown)...Private a 8 8
DARK DAVID (Mr. Osmond)........Larkin 5 8 8
TUDOR KING (Mr. Courtauld)......A. Law 5 8 4
GOLDSMITH (Mrs. N. Brownlee) Higgs 4 8 2
CLAROBIE (Sir E. Wills)........De Winton 4 8 2
ROYAL ARCHER (Mr. O. Rayner)..East 4 8 2
POSTINO (Mr. C. H. Horrell)........Saxby 5 8 1
RED GAUNTLET (Mr. O. Smith) ...Dale 5 8 1
RUSH COMMON (Mr. Cottrell)....Gilbert 4 7 13
BONAVENTURE (Mr. W. Read).....Foster 4 7 13
CULLAND (Mr. E. J. Davis) ....Beatty 3 7 1
NICO (Sir Charles Hyde) ....Scobie 3 7 1
LOUVOYER (Mrs. Cayzer)...........Gooch 3 6 12
CREME D'ECOSSE (Col. M. Hughes) Davies-Scourfield 3 6 12
THE JOKE (Mr. W. Smith) ....J. Lyall 6 6 12
IRISH FLAME (Mr. Runciman).....Owner 3 6 12
BLYTHSWOOD (Mr. Fattorini).....Folk 3 6 12
BREEZY HEATHER (Miss Reynolds) Private 3 6 12
ST. ANDREW (Mr. G. Hartigan) M. Hartigan 3 6 12

LATEST SCRATCHINGS:—Maiden Plate—Squat and Eucharis. Moderate Plate—Jeansgee and Lucky Man.

CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

CURRAGH, Wednesday.

There was heavy rain overnight, and the going is now fairly good.

DAWSON'S Holy Fooks galloped a mile at a good pace; Limber Dancer and Bororea went a similar distance steadily. Maynooth and Lisworney came six furlongs: Deceit, Ardsallagh, Ligurian and Argentan five furlongs.

PARKINSON'S Bawn-na-Glas was sent a mile and a half at three-parts speed; To Richy showed up well in a two miles gallop; Helen Adair and Louvixen came six furlongs at a useful pace. Sweet Honey, Green Shutter, Bally Bee and Grey Point did a sharp five furlongs.

PERRY'S Knocklong Boy and Maureen M. were sent six furlongs.

BEHAN'S Vesington Bee, Vesington Comet, Miramichi and Ballynether went five furlongs.

HARTIGAN'S Southern Palm and Sanders came a mile and a quarter; Fedamore and Duneen four furlongs sharply.

Selections for Limerick:—
Thomond Plate—WHITE HILL.
Shannon Plate—STRIPES.
July Plate—CAIRBRE.
Holiday Plate—PRUDENT LAD or MARY PATRICIA.
Welter Plate—EMPRESS ROYAL.
Munster Plate—LATAKIA.

BELFAST-CURRAGH "SPECIAL" ON OAKS DAY.

The experiment of running a special train from Belfast right through to the Curragh on Derby Day was so great a success that the Stewards of the Turf Club have now arranged for a special from the Northern capital to headquarters on Irish Oaks day, which is Wednesday of next week. It is hoped next season greatly to extend the train facilities for big race days at the Curragh, and to run specials from every area throughout the country; moreover, in connection with the Belfast-Curragh special it is expected next year that it will be possible to make a cut in the fares at present charged from twenty-five to thirty-three per cent. Next Wednesday's special will leave Belfast at 10 a.m., calling at Portadown 10.30 a.m., Dundalk 11.10 a.m., Drogheda 11.35 a.m., thence right through to the Curragh, arriving at 1.15 p.m. The special will return from the Curragh at 5.40 p.m. Full particulars of the train arrangements will be advertised in our columns in due course.

LOWTHER HANDICAP PLATE, LANARK.

(WEIGHTS RAISED 5lb.)

Sir Greysteel, Legend, Infantry, Beech Hill, Highcliff, Polomberg, Fiddleback, Cyzara, Lady Morham.

CARFIN HANDICAP PLATE, LANARK.

(WEIGHTS RAISED 6lb.)

The Owlet, Doorway, King of Clubs, Pride of Inglewood, Downholme, Too Eager, Dunin, Call Alice, Apparent, Fawn Way, Agility, Price List, Soleil de Nuit, The Prude's Fall, Bologna, Music Star, Cross Appeal.

DEATH OF MR. W. ALLISON.

Mr. William Allison, the well-known sporting journalist, whose death, at the age of 74, occurred suddenly in London yesterday afternoon, was for about 40 years the "Special Commissioner" of the *Sportsman*, and when that journal was absorbed by the *Sporting Life* he continued his work on that paper, his last article, dealing with the Newmarket Bloodstock Sales, being written on Tuesday and appearing in yesterday's issue. Mr. Allison was one of the foremost authorities on bloodstock breeding. He was born at Thirsk, in Yorkshire, and was educated at Rugby and Balliol College, Oxford. He was called to the Bar, but preferred journalism, and at one time edited the defunct *St. Stephen's Review*, writing both on politics and sport. He wrote a number of books on racing and breeding, including "Blair Athol," "The British Thoroughbred Horse" and "My Kingdom for a Horse." In "The British Thoroughbred Horse" he expounded the "Bruce Lowe Figure System of Thoroughbred Breeding," on which he was an authority. In his capacity of Managing Director of the International Horse Agency and Exchange, Ltd., he was concerned in many notable bloodstock sales. He carried through the sales of the Derby winners Galtee More and Ard Patrick to Russia and Germany, respectively, and was also instrumental in forming the syndicate which brought back the famous sire Tracery from the Argentine to England. It was on his advice that Lady de Bathe—who then raced as "Mr. Jersey"—purchased the Australian horse Merman, with whom she won the Cesarewitch and the Ascot Gold Cup. Besides directing the International Horse Agency, Mr. Allison was associated with the Cobham Stud.

LAYTOWN & BETTYSTOWN STRAND RACES,
FRIDAY, JULY 17th.
COME AND ENJOY A GOOD DAY'S RACING BY THE SEASIDE.
Trains from Dublin at 10.45, 11.30, 1.40 (non-stop Special), and 2.0.
Special Train from Kells at 12.15; Returning at 7.50. —(Advt.)

ALL-IRELAND POLO CLUB.

To-day—F.C.C. Tournament—Swallows (holders) v. Hawks (challengers), 4.15. Practice at 5 o'c

SUCCESS OF KERRY BLUES IN ENGLAND.

The Earl of Kenmare's kennel of Kerry Blue terriers has scored some notable successes in England during the past week. At Richmond Show Kenmare Rebel took three first and a championship, and Kenmare Nora three firsts and championship. At Chester Royal Show, Kenmare Rebel was awarded four firsts and championship, and Kenmare Nora three firsts and championship. These dogs have already annexed thirty-one prizes and four championships this year at the principal shows in England.

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ATHLETICS.

TRIANGULAR SERVICES CONTEST.

EASY WIN FOR THE ARMY.

The Army gained an easy win in the triangular inter-Services athletic contest at Woolwich yesterday, securing twenty-four points as against the Navy's fifteen and the Air Force's fifteen. The team gained maximum points in seven of the nine events. Results:—

Two Miles Relay.—1, Army; 2, R.N. and R.M.; 3, R.A.F. Time—8 mins. 6 3-5 secs. Won by 20 yards. Both first and second lowered the record.

Quarter Mile Relay.—1, Army; 2, R.A.F.; 3, R.N. College, Greenwich. Time—45 2-5 secs. Won by a foot.

360 Yards Hurdles Relay.—1, R.N. and R.M.; 2, Army; 3, R.A.F. Time—49 secs. Won by ten yards.

One Mile Team.—1, Army; 2, R.A.F.; 3, R.N. and R.M. Time—4 mins. 35 4-5 secs.

High Jump.—1, R.A.F., 11ft. 4ins.; 2, R.N. and R.M., 11ft. 3ins.; 3, Army, 11ft. 1in.

Putting the Weight.—1, Army, 78ft. 2½ins.; 2, R.A.F., 71ft. 5ins.; 3, R.N. and R.M., 71ft. 3½ins.

One Mile Relay.—1, Army; 2, R.N. and R.M.; 3, R.A.F. Time—3 mins. 29 2-5 secs.

Long Jump.—1, Army, 44ft. 1½ins.; 2, R.N. and R.M., 43ft. 1in.; 3, R.A.F., 40ft.

Three Miles Team.—1, Army; 2, R.A.F.; 3, R.N. and R.M. Time—15 mins. 25 2-5 secs.

YACHTING.

THE SEAWANSAKA CUP.

AMERICAN VICTORY.

In fine weather and a light North-Westerly breeze, the fourth race in the Seawansaka contest was started yesterday at 1.10 p.m. The course was a triangular one from the Bogany entrance of Rothesay Bay to Kerrycroy, Bute, thence to Blackhouse, on the Ayrshire coast and back, twice round, fourteen miles.

It was an interesting struggle on the part of the defender, but she was very squarely beaten by 1 min. 46 sec. Finish:—

	H.	M.	S.
Lanai (winner of the Cup)	4	48	16
Coila III.	4	50	2

SEAPOINT BOAT CLUB.

The tide served on Tuesday evening off the Tower, Seapoint, when two matches were sailed, but the wind was light and none too trustworthy, from S. to S.W., when the races were sent away. To begin with, the breeze was of nice sailing strength for the dinghies over their relatively short course of two rounds, but there was hardly enough weungle in at for the two long rounds which the No. 1 Class boats had to sail. This latter class was competing in a crews' race, and when the softening of the wind came, with rain, it was considered advisable to stop the race at the end of the first round. Details:—

HANDICAP MATCH—For B.R.A. Dinghy Class. Start, 7.30 p.m. Finish:—

	*H'cap.	H.	M.	S.
Ibis (winner), Mr. J. Wallace	(scr.)	8	47	3
Curlew (2nd prize) Messrs. Felton and Kelly	(40)	8	50	33
Seamew, Mr. W. B. Conyngham ..	(scr.)	8	51	19

Kittiwake (40) and Redshank (20) fouled marks and dropped out.

* Handicap in seconds per hour.

CREWS' RACE (Handicap)—For No. 1 Class boats. Start, 7.40 p.m. Finish:—

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Bonita (2nd prize), Messrs. Hartnell and McGoogan	(3½)	8	45	16
Sho Shi (winner), Mr. F. P. Douglas	(7½)	8	49	22
Mercia III., Mr. W. J. Smalldridge	(4½)	8	52	6
Pixie (3rd prize, Mr. F. E. Bermingham	(12)	8	58	12
Alethea, Mr. J. Kelly	(10½)	9	10	10

* Handicap in minutes per hour.

Mr. F. P. Cantwell was officer of the day.

THE WATER WAGS—CREWS' RACE.

One of the minor details of last evening's "Crews' Race"—that is to say, a match in which the regular "crew" of a Wag steers, the usual helmsman being barred out for the occasion—was the fact that Coquette was not a competitor. Mr. G. S. Horner was not available, and so the boat could not start.

Six others did, however, and were sent away over the port course at 6.40 p.m. There was a rather patchy breeze from S.S.E. in harbour, and, starting on a beat, the order through the line was Phyllis, Mollie, Blue Bird, Tomboy, Pansy, Barbara. They were off the wind on the second leg, were reaching on the third, and then had a beat up to the line, where the order at the close of the first round was Phyllis, Mollie, Tomboy, Barbara, Pansy, Blue Bird. Phyllis and Mollie had, apparently, set themselves out for a duel; each watched the other, and there was little between, only 15 secs. at the close of the second round, Tomboy coming 40 secs. astern of Mollie, and after Tomboy came Barbara, Pansy, Blue Bird in the order named.

A change came over the race at this stage, Phyllis and Mollie were finishing close hauled up the fairway for the jetty buoy; Tomboy, many lengths astern, saw a breeze further out, and went for it, and travelled twice as fast as the two others; and Barbara followed her example. At the mark Tomboy was able to lead round 1 min. 8 secs. ahead of the second boat, Barbara, which was just ahead of Mollie and Phyllis. Some luffing by the two last-named on the free reach out allowed Barbara to get into a comfortable second place, and as they reached next to the coal harbour buoy the race was practically over. But an incident still remained. Pansy, Mollie, Phyllis, got so close just off the line that two protests followed, by Mollie and Phyllis, and, apparently, against Pansy, and so the committee have a point left to consider. Finish:—

	Helmsman.	h.	m.	s.
Tomboy (winner)............	Mrs. Donnelly.	7	45	25
Barbara (2nd prize)....	Dr. R. H. Micks.	7	47	12
Pansy........................	Mr. Seymour Webb.	7	49	9
Mollie......................	Mr. S. Smalldridge.	7	49	31
Phyllis....................	Mrs. G. Shackleton, jun.	7	50	10
Blue Bird..................	Mrs. Meldon.	7	50	32

GOLF.

BARNES AND MITCHELL DEFEAT RAY AND COMPSTON.

A thirty-six holes four-ball match, which went to the last hole, was played at Verulam, St. Alban's, yesterday between a very strong Anglo-American combination, in Jim Barnes and Abe Mitchell against Ray and Compston. The heat was so terrific that many of the spectators, bordering on collapse, left the match to rest under the trees. Impromptu refreshment stalls had been placed all over the course, but these were soon sold out. Probably the best of the four was Ted Ray, who played brilliantly, but had just one or two lapses, and on these occasions his partner could not quite fill the breach. On the other hand, Barnes and Mitchell were invariably there to save the situation for each other, and it was because of their better combination that they were able to wipe off a three holes deficit which they faced at the ninth hole in the morning. Three holes is an enormous start in a four-ball match, but Barnes and Mitchell, though they were 3 down at the twelfth, became 1 up at the end of the first round. Thus, they had won four holes out of six in a four-ball match, an almost unprecedented thing.

Compston and Ray again secured an early lead in the afternoon. Fine golf was played by Ray after the eighth, for he got threes (all "birdies") at the ninth, tenth, eleventh and twelfth, and his side was 2 up. Mitchell and Barnes again challenged the lead by fine putting, and the match was squared at the sixteenth. Going to the home hole the match was still square, and it was at this long raking hole that Barnes and Mitchell won the match.

The best ball scores were:—Barnes and Mitchell—(First Round)—67. Second Round—65, aggregate 132.

Ray and Compston.—First Round—69. Second Round—65, aggregate 134.

AMATEUR RECORD AT THE CASTLE.

Playing in the qualifying round of the Barley Cup on Saturday, H. E. Bell established an amateur record for the course by returning a gross 73. The score equals the professional record made by D. Murray, of Skerries. The record card is:—

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THE £1,040 TOURNAMENT.

The Eastern sectional qualifying competition at Eaton, Norwich, yesterday, for two places in the Professional Golfers' Association £1,040 Tournament resulted in T. King, jun. (Royal West Norfolk), with 73 and 72, and S. G. Rush (Woodbridge), with 76 and 71, passing into the major series. Rush's second round of 71 was the best of the day. J. G. Sherlock, who won the first prize in the major competition of 1910, totalled 148.

MILLTOWN (Ladies' Branch).—To-day—Prize presented by Mrs. Muntz; 9 sealed holes; draws at usual hours. Mrs. Fuge's Prize:—1st, Mrs. Thrift, 33½; 2nd, Mrs. J. Smyth, 34.

GRANGE.—July Medals:—Class 1—Dr. W. F. Hooper (7), all square; Class 2—T. R. Hamilton (20), 2 down. Captain's Cup, presented by Colonel R. J. Tamplin:—Semi-final—G. C. Kirkland (11) beat G. C. Whiteman (6); N. A. Clarke (8) beat H. Inglis (13). Final—Kirkland beat Clarke.

BALLYBUNION.—R. A. Macaulay beat W. H. Jeffares, 1 up, in the final for the Captain's Prize, presented by Mr. M. O'Connell.

DISTILLERS', BREWERS' AND WINE MERCHANTS' G.S.—President's Prize, played for at Portmarnock:—Captain J. F. Jameson (+2), J. L. Morgan (3) and J. W. Carley (7) tied with 3 down. There were 35 entries.

BELVEDERE COLLEGE UNION G.S.—A stroke competition at Woodbrook on Tuesday, 21st inst. (by kind permission of the Committee), for a cup presented by a member of the Union. All old Belvederians are invited to play. Draws from 1 o'clock. For further information apply Secretaries, 7 Sydney parade. Phone—Ballsbridge, 902.

CARRICKMINES.—Saturday — President's prize, men's singles match play. Entries close at the Club House, 6 p.m., Friday, 17th.

IRISH PRESS G.S.—Entries for the captain's (Mr. J. E. Healy) prize at the Island, Malahide, on Saturday close to-day with the Hon. Secretary. Draw in to-morrow's papers.

FOXROCK (Ladies' Branch).—Prize presented by Mrs. F. Crawley, eclectic competition—Mrs. F. Darley (9), 35.

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SELECTIONS FOR NEWMARKET MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
Irish Times	Prompt.	Swale.	Carbonaro.*	Air Chariot.	Gay Bird.	Orenza.
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Man on the Spot	Prompt.	Goura gelding.	Carbonaro.	Springshoot.*	Helter Skelter.	Orenza.
Westminster Gazette	Prompt.	Diamond Hall gelding.	Pilum.	Buoyant.	Stasiarch.	Cuckoo.
Daily Mirror	Prompt.	Swale.	Carbonaro.	Springshoot.	Gay Bird.	Cuckoo.
Daily Graphic	Dignity.	Prusa.	Vionnet.	Air Chariot.	Rolls Royce.	Gurzil.*
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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN MARKET QUIET.

There was again a quiet and, in the main, an uneventful day's business passing on 'Change yesterday, with price movements possibly on balance affected by realisations in markets where support at the moment was limited by the absence from town of many would-be operators. Substantial gains were again shown in Funding 4 p.c. and Conversion 3½ p.c. Loans; otherwise the Funds, British and Local, were quiet and practically featureless. Banking securities were very quiet, and a little irregularity in price movements was shown where business resulted in a couple of shares. Hibernians were wanted on the increased dividend. Guinness were also exceptionally quiet, with the quotation for the Ord. shares a shade easier. Great Southern Pre-Ord. Stocks closed dull and on offer; otherwise the Railway market was neglected. Ord. Stocks were on sale but did not quote. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were steady all day at a further relapse. Rubber Plantation shares were all lower on profit-taking attempts by those who previously had bought speculatively in view of the approaching settlement. Textile Ord. and Lever Bros. Pref. issues were occasionally dull, especially the latter shares. Tobaccos show no change. There was a further sharp rise in leading Oil ventures. Marconi shares were offered on the reduced final dividend on "Marine" shares.

LONDON MARKET DULL

A HALT IN RUBBERS.

Although there was still considerable activity in the Rubber Share market yesterday, prices weakened during the early part of the day as a result of profit-taking sales. The imminence of the settlement is already being felt, and a certain amount of nervousness is evident, due to indications that facilities for carrying over will be restricted in cases where it is known that weak speculative commitments are open. Providing the price of the raw material does not fall below 1s. 6d. per lb., plantations should, by the beginning of next month, be nearly on a full production basis. At the beginning of next month a further release of 10 per cent will be due under the Stevenson scheme, and another release in November will bring the total up to 85 per cent. of the normal production. In most of the other sections of the stock markets, business was on a small scale, and the tone dull. Idleness ruled in gilt-edged securities, but prices were well held, and closing rates showed little or no alteration from overnight figures. Little interest was taken in Foreign Government Stocks, but here, also, a generally steady tone was manifest. French Loans maintained their improvements, while other stocks were quoted much the same as before. An extremely quiet tone ruled in Home Rails. Prices, however, showed but little change on the day's business. A weaker tendency developed in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and the quotations, where altered, were the turn lower. With more attention paid to them, Oil Shares exhibited a better tendency, and there was a general hardening of prices.

THE "SHAKE-OUT" IN RUBBERS.

There was a further reaction in Rubber shares at the outset yesterday as the result of profit-taking. There have been numerous realisations of stale bull commitments, and many speculators who bought shares for one account only have deemed it prudent to take their paper profits. Next week's settlement is already casting its shadow, and nervousness prevails owing to indications that facilities for carrying-over will be restricted. A shake-out of weedy positions will make for healthier market conditions, and, so far as can be gauged at present, the indications point to renewed activity and strength during the next account.

OUTLOOK FOR RUBBER.

With rubber stocks down to 4,484 tons, there is a danger of extinction before production gets into full swing, and it is not surprising that rubber is being talked up to 5s., and as much as 6s., per lb. in the near future. In market circles it is hoped that rubber prices will not mount much higher, as buyers might possibly carry out a restriction policy of their own. At the beginning of next month there will be a further release of 10 per cent. of rubber under the Stevenson scheme, and a further 10 per cent. release, making 85 per cent., is due in November, provided, of course, that the price does not fall under 1s. 6d. per lb. By the beginning of 1926 plantations should be nearly on a full production basis. It should be remembered that the 1925 crop from the old plantations is not giving the yield expected owing to severe weather conditions. Moreover, the labour question presents difficulties, as increased export allowance will mean a large demand for additional labour, and costs are likely to increase.

NEWSPAPER SHARE DEPRESSION.

Several readers have expressed disappointment at the delay in the big developments in the newspaper share world expected after the announcement of the repayment of the *Daily Mail* Trust Debentures (writes *Truth*). The market in the principal shares has been depressed. In view of talk of litigation, which, although not concerned with any of the companies, may sentimentally affect the market in the shares, and vague talk of a new issue which may postpone an increase in dividends, it is possible that quotations may go lower still before they are higher. Selling by insiders has provided a further source of weakness. Readers who bought "Sunday Pictorials" on my advice some time ago, before these matters had loomed up, should ignore the fluctuation in prices and see it through.

CANADIAN MARCONI COMPANY.

Notice is given that pursuant to a Special Act of the Parliament of Canada, which received the Royal Assent on June 12th, 1925, the name of "The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada, Limited," has been changed to "Canadian Marconi Company."

MARCONI MARINE DIVIDENDS.

The Marconi International Marine Communication Company's meeting will be held on July 24. The following statement shows the dividends distributed, and the capital on which they were paid, during the past decade:—

Year to Dec. 31.	Dividends. Per cent. (less tax).	Issued capital. £
1915	12½	306,084
1916	15	450,000
1917	15	600,000
1918	15	600,000
1919	15	1,192,726
1920	15	1,192,726
1921	10	1,192,726
1922	12½	1,192,726
1923	10	1,192,726
1924	7½	1,192,726

On April 1 last the whole of the outstanding 5½ p.c. 1st Mort. Debs., amounting to £57,320, were paid off.

TANKERS SCHEME DROPPED.

At the meeting of Tankers, the directors' proposals for the reorganisation of the capital were not accepted. Mr. Simon and Mr. Cowen were left to communicate with one or two of the larger Pref. shareholders, and the Board agreed to have an informal discussion with this group when it is formed. It is hoped that by this means some scheme equally satisfactory to all parties concerned may be evolved and submitted to the company as soon as possible.

PROVINCIAL BANK OF IRELAND.

The report states that in view of the approaching centenary of the bank, the directors propose, during the coming half-year, to make a grant of £10,000 to the officers' widows and orphans' fund. The bank was established in 1825, and registered as limited in 1882.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors quietly steady. S.T.D. Pref. better, 10/-. Austin "B," 11/4½. Parent Def. strong. Dunlops rallied after poor start. Austins, 57½; do. Debs., 94½; Bluemels, 35/3; Enfields, 28/6; Humbers, 36/-; Napiers, 35/4½; do. Pref., 20/6; Rolls Royce, 30/-; Rovers, 10/9; S.T.D., 3/9; Singers, 43/9; Standards, 45/-; Swifts, 7/6; Triumphs, 34/3; Vauxhalls, 6/9; Dunlops, 18/6; Parent Def., 38/4½.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles a rather steadier market. Bleachers better. Bleachers, 62/6-63/6; do. Pref., 21/6-21/9; Calicos, 32/9-33/3; do. Pf., 17/9-18/-; Bradford Dyers, 70/6-71/6; do. Pref., 19/6-20/-; Sewing Cottons, 53/6-54/-; do. Pref., 18/9-19/3; Fine Spinners, 46/-47/-; do. Pref., 19/-19/6; "Slubbers," 7/-7/6; Coats, 60/-60/6; Ship Canal, 8⅛-8 3/16; do. Pref., 8⅛-8 3/16; Velvets, 27/-28/-.

OIL OUTPUT.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions.—Production for the week ended July 11th, 1925, was as follows:—La Rosa, 4,420 M. tons; previous week ended July 5th—4,376 M. tons. Maracaibo District—2,091 M. tons; previous week ended July 5th, 1,836 M. tons.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

A quiet tone prevailed in gilt-edged securities, business being on a smaller scale. Prices were well held, however. War Loans were all repeated, while Conversion Loans and Funding Bonds also closed without movement. Local Loans remained at their higher level of 65. Among Colonial Government Stocks, Australia 6 per cent. at 104 were a point better.

A quiet tendency was manifest in Foreign Government Stocks, and closing rates were much the same as on Tuesday. Turkish 4 per cent. Unified moved up to 16¼, or ¼ to the good.

RAILS QUIET.

A generally quiet tone prevailed in Home Rails. Prices remained steady, and, with the exception of a fall of ½ in Southern "A" to 37, overnight quotations were repeated at the close.

In the Colonial and Foreign Rail department Argentines developed a weaker tendency. B.A.G.S. at 87½, the Pacific at 80½, and the Western at 72½, all being ½ below the overnight levels. Central Argentines at 72½ were also ½ easier. Uruguay Northern Debs. dropped back to 23, or ½ lower, while Mexican Rails at 6¾ were ¼ down. Canadian Pacifics gained a point to 146.

RUBBER SHARES LOWER.

There was again a considerable business transacted in the Rubber share market yesterday, but at the opening profit-taking sales predominated and prices weakened. Later, however, quotations rallied to a certain extent, but most issues were again quoted lower. The price of the raw material recovered yesterday to 4s. 4d. per lb., and in some quarters a further substantial improvement is thought probable. Anglo-Malay finished 2s. 6d. down, while Anglo-Sumatra and Bah Lias were both 3s. 9d. below the previous quotations. B.N.B.R. Trust lost a further 1s. to 16s. 7½d., while Rubber Trust at 45s. were also 1s. down. Bukit Rajah dropped back sharply to 33s., or 3s. 3d. easier, while Highlands at 47s. 6d. registered a similar decline. Glenshiel eased 10½d. and Golden Hope 3s. 1½d. Java Amalgamated were 1s. 6d. down at 34s. 3d., while Kuala Muda recorded a fall of 1s. 3d. to 33s. 6d. Labu sagged to 34s., or 3s. 6d. down, while Ledbury and Linggi were both 2s. 6d. easier. Malacca at 63s. 6d. were quoted 4s below the overnight figure, while Langkat Sumatra lost 3s. to 45s. Mooply Valley closed 3s. 6d. lower and Pegoh lost 3s., while Membakut and Malayalam were 2s. 9d. and 2s. 6d. lower respectively. Mendaris eased 1s. 3d. and Pilmoor 1s. 6d., while P.P.K. Ceylon at 28s. 1½d. were 3s. 1½d. lower. Sapong lost 3s. 9d. and Sendayan New 4s., while Sepang Selangor at 5s. 10½d. were 1s. 4½d. down. Sialang lost 2s. 3d. and Sungei Buaya 3s. 9d., while Tamiang were 2s. 1½d. lower. Tandjong at 55s. 6d. and Tandjong Malim at 30s. 7½d. were 2s. 3d. and 2s. 4½d. easier respectively, while United Sua Betong Ord. and New shares were both 4s. lower. Telogoredjo shed 2s. 10½d., while Yam Seng slipped back to 3s. 9d., or 3d. lower.

OIL SHARES ACTIVE.

Interest in the Oil Share market further broadened yesterday, increased activity being witnessed in the leaders and speculative favourites. Moreover, the business was less professional than of late, transactions on behalf of the general public being on a larger scale than for some time past. Best prices were not in all cases held to the end, but nevertheless quotations where altered were higher. Outstanding features were provided by Ven. issues, V.O.C. Holdings, in particular, receiving active attention. Some big option business was transacted in the early hours, which started the upward movement, while later strong bidding for the shares lifted them still higher. Although an assurance was given by the Venezuelan Oil Consolidated some time ago that the titles to the properties were in order rumours were current yesterday to the effect that in order to definitely establish them large payments may have to be made to the Venezuelan Government. This, according to market gossip, may necessitate a fresh issue of capital by the V.O.C. Holding Company. We give this rumour with all reserve, but in view of the fact that the reports are in circulation it would certainly appear desirable that a statement either confirming or denying the stories should be issued by the company without delay. An active business was also transacted in British Controlled Shares, the Common rising at one time to 18s., while the Preferred were also distinctly harder.

TEA SHARES EASIER.

An easier tendency prevailed in the Tea share market yesterday, and business was on a smaller scale. Price changes were fairly numerous, but while a few issues finished the day at a slightly higher level, the majority of alterations were against holders. Amalgamated Estates dropped back to 39, or ½ below the overnight figure, while Associated Tea Estates of Ceylon eased 1s. 10½d. to 45s. Borelli shed 1s. 3d. on the day, and Brahmapootra dropped ⅛ to 32. Cons. Tea and Land fell away to 31½, or 1/16 down. Dooars were a dull spot, the final quotation being 2s. 4½d. down, while Doom Dooma shed 1s. 10½d. to 96s. 10½d. On the other hand, Assam Cons. and Assam Company were both the turn higher, while Imperial, Eastern Produce, and Galaha Ceylon were all fractionally higher.

INDUSTRIALS CHEERFUL.

Cheerful conditions ruled in the Industrial market yesterday. There was no expansion in the volume of trading, public interest again being centred in rubber, but here and there a few bright spots presented themselves. Notable in this respect was a flash of business in Electricity Supply Shares. Bournemouth and Pooles attracted most attention on talk of a possible new capital issue on terms favourable to existing holders. The company paid a scrip bonus of 20 p.c. in 1923, but on this occasion rumours are current of a subscription issue on the basis of one in two. County of London were in demand and improved to 1s. 6d. prem. Callenders were dealt in up to 58s. 6d., and British Insulators at 61s. It was not surprising to find some profit-taking in progress in Watney Defd. following the recent sustained upward movement. Some large lines came out, but the stock was absorbed rapidly, and on balance the price closed 3½ lower. Other Brewery issues ruled steady, with the exception of a fall of 1s. in Ind Coopes to 55s. There was rather more business passing in Distillers, but the shares showed no alteration at 62. Catering and Foodstuffs were not prominent, but Liptons rallied on a few supporting orders, and finished 6d. better at 17s. 3d. Maypole Def. fell 1½d. to 6s. Crosse and Blackwell First Prefs. were wanted and rose 1s. to 10s. 6d. Harrods B.A. enjoyed a little support, and improved to 10s. 6d. The leading Tobacco shares showed no decided tendency, B.A.T.S., at 106s. 3d., and Imperials, at 100s., being without change. Trading in the Textile section was of scanty proportions, and dealers found time to analyse the accounts of Celanese and Sewing Cottons. The last-named fell 9d. to 53s. 9d. on sales from Manchester. On the theory that Celanese have a long way to go despite the improved showing, the shares were marked down a few pence to 7s. 9d. with Cellulose Holdings moderately active around 14s. 6d. Courtaulds again lost 3d. to 106s. 3d., the turnover in this issue being much reduced. Bradford Dyers finished 1s lower at 70s. 6d., with numerous transactions at 70s. Among Miscellaneous counters, Wallpaper Def came on offer and lost 6d. to 26s.: Brunner Monds at 38s., and British Oil and Cakes, at 27s. 9d., were both 3d. to the bad. The Lever Prefs., as also Nobels, moved slightly against holders. On the strength of its dual rubber interests, Dunlops continued an active spot, but sellers predominated, and a fall of 3d. to 18s. 3d. was registered on the day. Napiers proved a weak feature in the Motor division and closed 9d. lower at 34s. 6d. The L.G.O.C. Deb. issues were on offer again, and a fall of 4 occurred in the Fives to 81½, with the 4½ per cent. 2 down at the same figure. Elsewhere, Brazil Tractions enjoyed fair inquiry and rose 1 to 60, after business at 58½. Newspaper descriptions proved a dull market, but the leaders showed no quotable alteration on the day. Among Shipping securities, a further decline of 6d. occurred in Furness-Withys to 27s. 6d. Royal Mails fell 1¼ to 85½ on the sale of Stock from a deceased account. Court Lines shed 6d. to 26s. Armstrongs, Baldwins and Cammell-Lairds were 3d. up; Hadfields, Dorman, Longs and Palmers closed that amount lower. Guest-Keens were firm 6d. higher at 30s. 6d., and Howard and Bulloughs put on 1/16 to 1 15/16. In the Wireless department, Marconis dipped to 27s. at one time, but regained their former level of 27s. 6d. Marines, on the reduced dividend, fell 9d. to 17s. 6d.

DUBLIN PRICE CHANGES.

MARKETS QUIETLY DULL AND PRICES IRREGULAR. HIBERNIAN BANK DIVIDEND INCREASED. DUNLOP RUBBER SHARES WEAKER.

Government 5 p.c. Compensation Stock fell ½ to 92.

In British Funds, Funding Loan rose 1/16 to 88 1/16 and Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅛ to 76⅝, while War Loan 5 p.c. repeated 100 and Irish Land 3 p.c. 62⅞.

In Banks, Nationals rose 1/16 to 20⅞, but Munster and Leinsters eased 1/16 to 7 7/16. Hibernians were wanted on the increased dividend, but were held for a higher price.

The only change in Breweries and Distilleries was a fall of 1/16 to 64 7/16 in Guinness Ord. Shares. Dublin Distillers Ord. repeated 27s.

Radio Corporation Common rose to 11½.

Rails were very idle and dull. Great Southern Guaranteed fell ⅜ to 43⅝ and the Debs. ½ to 54½.

In Tramways, Dublin United Ord. rose 1/16 to 6¼, while the Pref. repeated 8¼.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 9d. to 18s. 3d., and the "New" were busy at 18s. 1½d. Parent Trust Pref. opened 1½d. lower at 15s. 3d., but later 15s. 4½d. was again paid.

In Drapery Shares, an odd lot of Arnott and Co. Pref. again realised 67s. 6d.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Courtaulds fell 4½d. to 106s. 10½d. and Cotton Ord. 9d. to 54s., but Bleachers recovered 3d. to 63s., Spinners 3d to 46s. 3d., and Coats Ord. 1½d. to 59s. 10½d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. fell 1½d. to 20s., after touching 19s. 10½d., and the 8 p.c. Pref. 3d. to 19s. 9d. for a few shares. White, Tomkins, and Courage Ord. realised 22s. 9d.

In Trading, etc., a few Parkes and Sons Pref. realised 11s. 6d. x.d., or 11d. higher than previous price. Burke Pref. repeated 71s. 3d. x.d. Yam Seng Rubber fell 4½d. to 4s. Goulding Ord. rose 2s. 9d. to 47s. 9d.

Shell Transports rose 2s. to 88s.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Compensation Stock (92½)	92	Coats (59/9)	59/10½
5% War Loan (100)	100	Cottons (54/9)	*54/-
Fund. Loan (87⅞)	88 1/16	Courtaulds (107/1½)	106/10½
Conver. Loan (75¾)	76⅝	Spinners (46/-)	46/3
War Bonds 1928	104½	Goulding Ord. (45/-)	47/9
3% Land (62⅞)	62⅞	Imp. Tob. (100/3)	100/3
Mun. & Lein. Bank (7½)	7 7/16	Lever 7% (20/1½)	19/10½ 20/-
National (20 13/16)	20⅞	Do. 8% (20/-)	*19/9
Dub. Distillers (27/-)	27/-	White Tomkins	22/9
Guinness (64½)	64 7/16	Burke Pref. (71/3)	*71/3
G.S. Guar. (44¼)	43⅝	Parkes Pref. (10/7)	*11/6
Do. Deb. (55)	54½	Yam Seng (4/1½)	4/-
Dublin Tram. (6 3/16)	6¼	Dunlops (19/-)	18/3
Do. Pref. (8¼)	8¼	Do. New (f.p.)	18/1½
Parent Pref. (15/4½)	15/3 /4½	Radio Common	11½
Arnott Pref. (67/6)	*67/6	Shells	88/-
Bleachers (63/-)	63/3		

* Odd lot, b bid, a asked, c cash. (Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount ... 6 p.c. 5th March, 1925.
Deposit ... 2½ p.c. 5th March, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	July 20	Aug. 10
General contango day	July 21	Aug. 11
Ticket day	July 22	Aug. 12
Account day	July 23	Aug. 13

BELFAST.

There was more activity on Belfast Exchange yesterday. War Loan changed hands at 100 and 100⅛, 5 p.c. National War Bonds 1928 at 104⅛, 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 76 11/16, and a transaction in this stock at 76⅞ on the 14th inst. was also recorded. Irish Land Stock 1921 brought 56½ for an odd amount, Local Loans 64⅞, and Treasury Bonds 100 15/16. In Bank shares, Northern Bank "A" were done at 5½, Westminsters at 8 11/16, and Midland Bank New Letters at 32s. 9d. and 33s. premium. In Industrials, Belfast Ropeworks Pref. were done at 8⅜ and Courtaulds at 106s. 9d. J. and P. Coats brought 60s. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were dealt in at 18s. 3d. and 18s. 4½d., and White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. at 23s. 3d. In Corporation stocks, Belfast 3½ p.c. 1938 Stock was done at 91½.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	56-57	4½% Conv. Ln.	95-96
War Ln. 3½%	96¼-97	5½ Treas. Bds.	100⅝-101⅛
do. 4½%	94⅝-95⅛	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	56-58
do. 5%	99⅞-100⅛	India 3%	57-58
do. 4% (Tax Free)	99¾-100¼	do. 3½%	66-67
Fund'g L'n	88-89	do. 5½%	100⅝-101⅛
Victory Bds	91¾-91⅞	do. 7%	104-106
3½% Conv. Ln.	76½-77	Local Lns.	64½-65½
		Sudan 5½%	106-107

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Aust. Com. 5½%	99-101	Nigeria 6%	109-112
do. 6%	103-105+1	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	81-83
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	93-95	do. 6% 1930-40	101-105*
Canada 4%	86-88	S. Africa 4% Cns	86-88
do. 4½ 1920-5	99½-100½	do. 6%	102-104
Cape 3½ Cons.	77-79	S.A'stri'n 4, '40-60	81-83
Ceylon 6%	105-107	do. 6½%	102-104*
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	97-99	Victoria 4, '40-60	84-86
do. 5½ 1922-7	98-100	do. 6½% 1923-5	100-2
do. 6½% 1930-40	102-104*	W.Aus. 5½% '35-45	99-101
N. Zeal'd 4, '29.	94-96	do. 6% 1930-40	101-3

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer	7-7¼	Lloyds	63/6-64/0-0/3
Australasia	13⅞-14⅛	Midland	8⅝-8⅞*
Bank N.S.W.	38½-39½	Nat. Dis. B.	8⅛-8⅜*
Do. N. Z.	2⅝-2¾	Nat Prov (£4)	11⅝-11⅞*
Barclays A	7⅝-8*	Royal of Can	47-49
Brit. Overseas	5⅛-5⅜	Stand. S.A.	11⅛-11⅜
Can. of Com.	41⅛-42½	Un. Australia	14⅛-14⅞
Char. of India	19⅛-19⅝	Westminster	18⅛-18⅜*-1/16
Hong Kong	132-134		

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U. July 7.				
99	Argentine 1886	98	100*	
76½	Do. 4 p.c. Rescissions	76	78*	
89	Do. 5 p.c., 1909	90	92	
43¾	Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	44	46	
88	Do. Funding, 1908	87	89*	
76	Do. 5 p.c., 1914	75	77	
87½	Chinese 5 p.c., 1896	86	88	
74	Do. 4½ p.c., 1898	73	75	
60	Do. 5 p.c., 1912	58	60	
102½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	102	104	
81½	Egyptian Unified	81	83	
14⅝	French Loan	15½	16½	
12¼	Do. 4 p.c.	12¾	13¾	
13/6	German 3 p.c.	½	¾	-1/16
98¾	German 7 p.c.	98½	99½	
89½	Greek Loan	89¼	90½	
96¾	Hungarian 7½% Ster.	97¾	98¾	
15⅛	Italian Rentes	14	16*	
85¾	Japan 4 p.c., 1905	84	87*	
89½	Do. 6 p.c., 1924	86½	87½*	
35¾	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	35	40	
38	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	40	50	
3¾	Peruvian Corporation	3½	4	
32	Do. Pref.	31½	32½	
98	Do. Deb.	97	99	
27¾	Portuguese 3 p.c.	28	30*	
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	61	65*	
16¾	Turkish Unified	15¾	16¾	+ ¼
63	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	63½	64½	

BRITISH RAILS.

87½	Great Western	86¼	87¼	
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	94	97	
79½	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	78¼	79½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	73	75	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	98	101	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	98	100	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	71	73	
61	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	59	60	
22½	Do. Def. Ord.	21	21½	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	69	71	
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	65	67	
70	Metropolitan	67½	68½	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	92	95	
47½	Do. District	45	46*	
75	Southern Pref. Ord.	75	76	
39½	Do. Def. Ord.	39	40	
37½	Do. "A"	36½	37½	— ½
8	Do. "B"	7½	8½	
2½	Underground Electric	2¼	2½	
97¾	Do. Income Bonds	97	99	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	106	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

79	Antofagasta	81	83	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	80	82	
—	Bahia Blanca	77½	79½	
—	Brazil Railway Common	⅜	½	
85½	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	86½	88½	— ½
79½	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	79½	81½	— ½
70½	Buenos Ayres and W.	71½	73½	— ½
146	Canadian Pacific	145	147	+1
71½	Central Argentine	71½	73½	— ½
67	Central Uruguay	65½	67½	
15	Cordoba Central	14½	15½	
56½	Do. 1st Pref.	55½	57½	
33½	Do. 2nd Pref.	32½	34½	
35½	Entre Rios	34	36	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	79	81	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	35	38	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	76	78	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	76	78	
31	Leopoldina	30	32	
6¾	Mexican Rails	6½	7	— ¼
21½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21	23	
10	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	9½	10½	
161	San Paulo Ord.	155	159	
98	United Havana	98	100	
—	Uruguay Northern Debs.	22	24	— ½

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	123	125	+1
—	Baltimore	79	81	+1
—	Chesapeake	96	98	
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	7	9	
29½	Erie	28	30	+1
—	Do. 1st Pref.	38	40	+1
—	New York, Ontario	24	26	
100½	Southern Common	99	101*	
—	Do. Pref.	87	90*	
—	Southern Pacific	101	103	
142½	Union Pacific	143	145	+1

TELEGRAPHS.

24½	Anglo-American Def.	23⅝	24½
1⅜	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1½	1⅝
1⅛	Do. Pref.	1⅛	1⅜
—	Do. Debs.	102½	103½
19/6	Do. Marine	18/0	19/0
4/3	Do. Canada	4/0	4/6
—	Oriental Telephone	2	2¼
11¾	Radio Corporation	11¼	11¾
10½	Do. Pref. ($50)	9⅞	10⅜

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

16/9	Allsopp £1 Shares	¾	⅞	
91	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	89	92*	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	85	88	
49/0	Do. Ord.	2⅜	2½	
61/0	Distillers Ord.	3	3⅛	
640	Guinness	640	660	
—	Do. Pref.	116	121	
20/3	Peter Walker Ord.	20/0	21/0*	
44/9	South African Breweries	2⅛	2⅜	
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	22/0	23/0*	
264	Watney Combe Def.	279	283	-3½

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

26/9	Aerated Bread	24/6	25/6	-0/6
43/6	Bovril Def.	2⅛	2¼†	
2/0	Crosse and Blackwell	1/10½	2/4½	
17/6	Lipton	16/9	17/9	+0/6
3⅛	Lyons (J.)	3½	3¾	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	23/3	23/9	- 0/3
6/0	Maypole Def.	5/10½	6/1½	- 0/1½
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	⅜	½	
2¼	Spratt's Patent	2	2⅜	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	19/3	20/3	
1⅛	Van Den Berghs	1⅛	1⅜	
—	Do. Pref.	4¾	5¾	

IRON AND STEEL.

13/3	Armstrong (W. G.)	12/6	13/6	+0/3
8/0	Cammell Laird	8/6	9/6	+0/3
9/0	Dorman Long	8/0	9/0	-0/3
13/6	John Brown	13/0	14/0*	
9/0	Do. (15/- paid)	8/3	9/3*	
13/0	Pease and Partners	12/3	13/3	
4⅜	South Durham Steel	1⅝	2⅛	— 1/16
25/3	Siemens	23/3	25/9	
5/0	United Steel	4/9	5/9	
7/3	Vickers Ord.	6/6	7/6	
—	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	23/6	24/6	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	1	1¼	
31/0	Argentine Land Invest.	1⅛	1⅜	
28/3	Do. Southern Land	1⅛	1⅜	
11/6	B.N.B. Land	13/3	14/3	-0/6
21/3	Forestal Land	21/0	21/6	
4⅛	Hudson's Bay Ord.	4⅛	4⅜	
20/6	Niger Pref.	1	1⅛	
9/3	Pekin Syndicate	7/6	8/6	
25/6	Rio Negro Lands	1⅛	1⅜	
7½	Sudan Plantations	7	7½	— ⅛

NEWSPAPERS.

5⅞	Asd. Newspapers Def.	5¾	6⅛*	
31/0	Allied News Ord.	29/4½	30/4½	-0/1½
6⅛	Daily Mirror Ord.	6⅛	6⅜	
3½	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	76/3	77/3	-0/6

NITRATES.

18	Alianza	16¾	17½*	
6¼	Lautaro Nitrate	5¾	6⅛*	- ¼
25/6	Lagunas Nitrate	5/6	6/6	
2¾	Liverpool Nitrate	2½	2⅞	
3	London Nitrate	2⅞	3⅛	
25/0	Rosario Nitrate	25/0	26/0*	
1⅜	Santa Rita Nitrate	1⅛	1⅜*	
2⅜	Santiago Nitrate	2⅛	2⅜	
11/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	10/6	11/6	

SHIPPING.

10/6	Cargo Fleet	10/0	11/0	+0/6
—	Court Line	25/0	27/0	-0/6
—	Cunard Ord.	15/6	16/6	
20/0	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	17/9	18/9	
—	Furness Withy	27/0	28/0	-0/6
—	P. and O. Def.	250	260	
—	Royal Mail Ord.	84	87	-1½

TEXTILES AND STORES.

7/9	Amalgamated Cotton	7/0	7/6	-0/1½
64/0	Bleachers	62/0	63/0	-0/3
73/6	Bradford Dyers	70/0	71/0	-1/0
7/9	British Celanese Ord.	7/9	8/3	-0/1½
32/6	Calico Printers	32/9	33/9	
60/0	Coats	59/6	60/6	
105/6	Courtaulds	106/3	106/9	-0/3
57/6	English Sewing Cotton	53/3	54/3	-0/9
47/0	Fine Spinners	46/0	47/0	-0/3
57/6	Grouts	2⅛	2⅜	
42/6	Harrods	43/0	44/0	
21/6	Hollins (Wm.)	1	1⅛	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	1⅞	2	
31/3	Lister Ord.	30/3	30/9	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.	1⅛	1¼	

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

28/3	African and East. Trade.	29/0	30/0	
3¼	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3	3¼	
14/0	Associated Cement	13/3	13/9	
16/0	Do. Pref.	15/9	16/3	
38/0	Borax Con. Def.	38/0	39/0	
58¼	Brazilian Traction	59	61	+1
30/0	British Portland Cement	28/6	29/6	-0/6
—	British Glass	0/9	1/3	
12/0	B.S.A.	11/6	12/6	
28/0	British Oil and Cake	27/3	28/3	-0/3
86½	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	82	85	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	88	91	
106/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	105/0	106/9	
38/0	Brunner Mond	37/6	38/6	-0/3
52/0	Bryant and May	2½	2⅝	
—	Carreras	10¼	11¼	
—	De la Rue Deb.	19½	20½	
16/9	Dunlop Rubber	18/1½	18/4½	-0/3
104	Do. Deb.	102	106*	
—	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	104	106*	
—	English Electric	18/0	19/0*	
—	Finlay (James)	3⅛	3⅜*	
25/0	General Electric Ord.	23/3	24/3*	
—	Do. Debs.	103	106	
—	Gramophone Ord.	1⅝	1¾	
100/0	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	99/9	100/3	
20/3	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/9	20/3	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	101	106	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	91	96	
18	Mexican Trams	17	22	
—	Do. Bonds	61	64	
65½	Do. L. and P. Bonds	23/9	25/3	
24/0	Nobel Ord.	23/3	23/9	-0/1½
21/3	Do. Pref.	21/0	21/6	
—	Do. Def.	10/0	10/6	
1⅜	Parent Trust Def.	1⅜	2	
21/0	Do. Ord.	1	1⅛	
25/3	Platt Bros. Ord.	24/6	25/6*	
—	Prov. Cine 7½% Pf.-Ord.	½	¾*	
27/3	Rolls Royce	1⅛	1⅜	
26/6	Salt Union	26/3	27/6	
84½	San Paulo Tram Deb.	94	98*	
—	Shawinigan Water Debs.	102	107*	
10¾	Swedish Match "B"	10½	10¾	— 1/16
—	Taylor's Service	24/9	25/3	
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4	4½	— ⅛
—	United Alkali	1¼	1⅞	
25/3	Wallpaper Def.	25/6	26/6	-0/6

RUBBERS.

52/3	Anglo-Dutch	57/3	-1/3
5/0	Anglo-Java	5/0	-0/3
1⅜	Anglo-Malay	31/0	-2/6
6/6	Beriam Cons.	6/10½	-0/7½
4/3	Bukit Merlajam	4/8¾	+0/0¾
2/10½	Bukit Sembawang	3/0	-0/3¾
—	Buntar	28/4½	-0/7½
19/6	Damansara	21/0	-0/6
17/3	Grand Central	32/0	-2/0
2⅞	Highlands	47/6	-3/3
3/4½	Kamuning	3/6	-0/4½
6/3	Kepong	7/5¼	-0/5¼
2¼	Kuala Lumpur	71/0	
32/0	Kuala Muda (f.p.)	33/6	-1/3
1⅞	Labu	34/0	-4/6
2	Linggi	43/9	-2/6
4/9	London Asiatic	5/3	-0/4½
2⅝	Malacca	63/6	-4/0
45/6	Malayalam	47/0	-2/6
4/7½	Merliman	5/4½	-0/4½
2⅛	Mooply Valley	47/6	-3/6
20/6	Rubber Trust	45/0	-1/0
1⅜	Seafield (New)	34/0	-1/6
2	Sendayan	43/0	-0/10½
—	Do. New Issue (f.p.)	41/0	-4/0
2⅞	Sialang	55/9	-2/3
23/9	Straits Rubber	26/10½	-0/10½
26/0	Tali Ayer	26/9	-1/6
2⅝	Tandjong	55/6	-2/3
28/0	Tandjong Malim	30/7½	-2/4½
4⅛	United Sua Betong	87/3	-4/0
—	Do. Do. Do. New	83/6	-4/0
15/0	Vallambrosa	18/3	-1/9

Ampat	6/0	-0/3	N. Hummock	25/7½	-1/4½
Anglo-Sum	70/3	-3/9	P.P.K. (C'yl'n)	28/1½	-3/1½
Bah Lias	47/6	-3/9	Pataling	26/10½	-0/7½
Batu Tiga	48/6	-2/3	Pegoh	37/3	-3/0
B.N.B.R. Trst	16/7½	-1/0	Pilmoor	39/1½	-1/6
Bukit Cloh	7/1½	-0/4½	Rim Malacca	4/3¾	-0/4½
Bukit Rajah	33/0	-3/3	Rub. E. Johore	29/3	-2/0
Castlefield	7/0	-0/9	Sapong	58/3	-3/9
Cicely	9/9	-0/9	Sapumalk'de	29/3	
Dennistown	3/0	-0/4	Selangor	6/0¾	-0/6
Eastern Trust	30/0	+1/6	Sepang Sel.	25/10½	-1/4½
Gen. Ceylon	50/3	-1/3	Serdang C'nt'l	35/6	-5/6
Glenbervie	43/0	-5/3	Soember Ajoe	2/8¼	-0/3¾
Glenshiel	19/9	-0/10½	Sumatra Con.	41/0	
Golden Hope	29/4½	-3/1½	Sungei Buaya	45/0	-3/9
Java Amal.	34/3	-1/6	Sungei Choh	26/10½	-1/1½
Kapar Para	59/1½	-0/4½	Sungei Kapar	6/1½	-0/4½
Kasintoe	35/0	-1/6	Sungei Kr. Pf.	49/0	-0/6
Kepitigalla	2/3	-0/1½	Taiping	2/4½	-0/4½
Kombok	7/0	-0/3	Tamiang	38/6	-2/1½
Langkat Sum	45/0	-3/0	Tebrau	55/4½	-1/6
Ledbury	46/3	-2/6	Telogoredjo	78/4½	-2/10½
Manch'ter N. B.	39/4½	-0/7½	Tempeh	2/9	-0/3
Membakut	33/0	-2/9	Un. Temiang	4/1	-0/2
Mendaris	31/0	-1/6	Yam Seng	3/9	-0/3

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div. ‖ Ex bonus.

OILS.

4⅛	Anglo-American	4⅝	4⅞	
1⅜	Anglo-Ecuadorian	2	2⅛+	1/16
⅝	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅛	1⅜+	1/16
25/7½	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	25/4½	25/10½	
25/4½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	25/1½	25/7½	
3⅝	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	3½	3⅝+	1/16
94¾	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	94½	96½	
2⅛	Apex Trinidad	2⅛	2¼+	1/16
1⅜	Attock	1⅛	1⅜	
⅞	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	⅝	⅞	
6/7½	British Burmah (8/-)	6/3	6/9	
16/0	British Controlled	17/6	17/9	+0/9
15/9	Do. Pref.	17/3	17/6	+0/7½
4⅞	Burmah	5⅛	5⅜+	1/16
26/7½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	26/4½	26/10½	
1/9	Caltex	1/9	2/0	+0/1½
8/6	Dacia Romano	8/6	9/6	
5⅛	Eagle Transport	5⅛	5⅜	
10¼	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	99½	100½	
101	Do. Bearer	100½	101½	
13/3	Kern River (10/-)	14/9	15/3	
5⅞	Lobitos	6⅛	6⅜+	1/16
14/9	Mexican Eagle	16/6	17/0	+0/3
15/0	Do. Pref.	14/9	15/3	+0/3
13/7½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	14/7½	15/1½	+0/1½
4/0	North Caucasian (10/-)	3/9	4/9	
2/6	Oropuche (4/- sh, 3/- pd).	3/3	3/6	+0/1½
18/9	Phoenix	19/6	20/0	+0/1½
31½	Royal Dutch	32¼	32¾*	
4⅛	Shell Transport	4⅜	4⅝*	
9⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10).	9⅛	10	
28/6	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	25/3	25/9	
1/9	Spies (10/-)	1/6	2/0	
9/3	Steaua Romana	10/6	11/0	+0/9
4/9	Tankers Pref.	5/1½	5/7½	
⅜	Trinidad Central	⅜	½	
1⅞	Trinidad Lease	2⅛	2	
5/3	United Brit. Trinidad	5/9	6/0	
4/4½	Ural Caspian	3/9	4/9	
2⅛	V.O.C. Holdings	2⅜	2⅞+	1/16
2⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2⅛	2⅜+	1/16

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	39 —	½	E.I. & Ceylon	58/6*	-0/3¼
Anglo-Ceylon	47/2½	-0/7½	E. Assam	59/9*	-0/3
Assam Co.	47/2½	+0/5¼	East Produce	87/6	+0/4½
Assam Cons.	17/6	+0/2¼	Empire	63/1½*	-1/6¾
Assam Dooars	45		Galaha Ceylon	40/3	+0/2½
Assam Front'r	6⅝		Imperial	30/6	+0/3
Aso. T.E. Cy'ln	45/0	-1/10½	Jhanzie	80/6¼	-1/2¾
Borelli	30/0	-1/3	Jokai	86/0*	
Brahmapootra	32 —	½	Jorehaut	89/9*	+0/7½
British Assam	83/9		Lungla	37/9	+0/3
Brit. Indian	78/1½		Majuli	70/6	
Cachar & Do'ar	72/6*		Moabund	70/0	
Ceylon Plant.	6 1-64—	1/16	Nedeem	69/9	
Chubwa	85/0		New Sylhet	81/3	-3/9
Chulsa	54/3		Peacock & Nii	3/9¼	-0/7¼
Con. Tea & L.	31½—	1/16	Poonmudi	3/9½	-0/4½
Darjeeling Co.	39/7½	-1/0	Rosehaugh Cey	35/0	+0/6
Deundi	30/1½	-0/3	Singlo	63/5¼*	-0/1½
Dimbula Val.	63/1½		Tea Share Trus	36/3	
Dooars	66/7½*	-2/4½	Travancore	5⅛	
Doom Dooma	90/10½	-1/10½	Un. Assam	64/4½	-2/6

* Ex dividend; † plus share bonus.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Commercial Union, 22⅛, ⅛; do. 4 per cent. Ocean Deb., 91½, 2½, 1¼, 2½; Consolidated Assurance, 20/-, 1/-; General Accident, 8 7/16, 7/16; Northern Assurance, 14⅝, £14 16/9; Phoenix, 12, ⅛, 1/16; Prudential "A," 21⅛, 20⅞, 15/16, 1, 1/16, 1/16; Royal Insurance, 31 1/16, ⅛; Scottish Union, 11 1/16, 1/16; United British, 27/6, 8/-, 7/1½.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, 15⅛; Commercial Union, 22⅛; Employers' Liability, 83/9; General Accident, 8 7/16; London Lancashire, 20⅛; London Assurance, 11, 10⅞; North British, 21⅛, 3/16; Northern, £14 11/6; Royal Insurance, 31⅛, 1; Scottish Union, 11, 10 15/16, 11.

The arrangements are now complete for the unveiling on the 19th July of the monument erected by the municipality of Chamonix to the memory of Ruskin, whose delight in nature was so largely awakened by the beauties of the French Alps. Many distinguished French and British personalities will be present, and speeches will be delivered recalling Ruskin's work and the time he spent in Chamonix.

LONDON MINING MARKET STEADY.

CHARTEREDS IN REQUEST.

The steadiness of other sections exercised a sympathetic influence in the Mining market, and one or two specialities were quite strong. On the other hand, there was still some selling by speculators eager to take a hand in the more spectacular departments, while the approach of the settlement, the preliminary arrangements for which will be made to-morrow, induced some evening-up transactions, and movements on balance were irregular. Even the Platinum descriptions were easier for choice. When it was found that fresh support was lacking the buyers of the previous day became anxious to get out, with the result that the C.L. Trans. Developments, S.A. Towns, Hendersons, Hendies Platinums, and Oceana were all easier. In the Rhodesian department there was persistent and widespread selling of Cam and Motor during the early hours, and the price suffered rather severely, a late rally failing to wipe out completely the loss sustained. Chartered were in better fettle, and there was again a big business in Tanks and Zams, but the fresh demand was offset by profit-taking sales, and on balance quotations were unchanged. There was not a great deal doing in Diamonds, but the De Beers issues, allowing for the deduction of dividends, were quite firm. Cons. Diamonds eased on profit-taking. Permission to deal in the new Debs. and the Option Certificates has been granted, and the latter were bid for at 4s. 3d. The price of tin was slightly easier at £259 8s. 9d. per ton, but the share market was rather livelier than usual, and several counters left off higher. The steady rise in the price of copper brought in buyers of Rio Tinto and Mount Morgan. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U. July 6.		
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1⅜—0/3
13/0	Anglo-French	13/3-13/9+0/3
3⅛	Brakpan	3⅛-3⅜
13½	Cent. Min'g (£8)	13⅝-13⅞+1/16
8/6	Central W'st (5/)	8/0-9/0
2⅝	City Deep	2⅛-2⅜
1⅛	Con. Goldfields	1⅛-1⅜
11/9	Cons. Main Reef	12/3-12/9—0/3
13/0	Con. M. Sel. (10/)	13/0-13/6+0/3
2⅝	Crown Mines (10/)	2⅝-2⅞
16/0	Durban Deep	16/3-16/9
9/3	E. Rand Prop.	9/6-9/9
3⅛	Geduld	3⅛-3⅜
20/6	Gen. Mining	20/0-20/6—0/3
10/6	G. M. Investment	10/0-10/6
7⅛	Government Mines	7⅜-7⅝
7/9	Hendies Plat. (5/)	8/0-9/3—0/3
5/0	Hendersons (5/)	5/6-6/0—/1½
41/0	Johan'burg I'vst	40/9-41/3
12/9	Knight's	12/6-13/0
17/0	Langlaagte Est.	16/6-17/0
⅞	Lydenburg Plat	⅞-1
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-3⅜
4⅛	M'derfontein (10/)	4⅛-4⅜
23/1½	Modder B (5/)	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/)	2⅛-2⅜
14/0	Modder East	1⅛-1⅜
1⅜	New State Areas	1⅛-1⅜
5/6	Nigel	4/6-5/6
7/0	Nourse Mines	6/6-7/0
2⅞	Rand Mines (5/)	2⅝-2⅞
17/0	Randfontein	16/9-17/3
1⅛	Rob'son D A (1/)	1-1⅛
1⅜	Robinson Dp. B	1⅛-1¼
10/9	Rose Deep	10/9-11/3
⅝	S.A. Gold Trust	⅝-⅞
22/3	S.A. Towns (10/)	23/0-24/0—0/6
2⅜	Springs Mines	2⅜-2⅝
14/6	Sub Nigel	14/3-14/9—0/3
3⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	3⅛-3⅜*
3⅛	Trans. Con. L. (10/)	3⅛-4⅛—1/16
1⅛	Trans. Devel.	1⅛-1⅜—1/16
42/9	Union Corp (12/6)	42/0-42/6
22/0	Van Ryn	22/0-22/6
3⅜	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3⅜
22/6	Vereeniging	22/3-22/9—0/3
8/3	Village Deep	9/0-9/3
⅞	West Rand Con	11/9-12/3—0/3
22/3	West Springs	22/6-23/0
19/3	Wit'ersrand Deep	20/0-21/0

RUSSIAN.

5/4½	Russo-Asiat. Cns.	5/0-5/3
4/0	Russian Mining	3/0-4/0
¼	Siberian Props	5/0-6/0
⅜	Spassky	½-⅝

RHODESIAN.

M.U. July 6.		
7/3	Bechuanaland Ex.	6/9-7/3
10/6	Beira Town Sites	10/6-11/6
5/3	Bwana M'Kubwa	5/0-5/6
2⅝	Cam and Motor	2⅛-2⅜—1/16
24/6	Chart'd B.S.A.	23/1½-23/4½+0/3
0/6	Falcon	0/6-1/0
19/6	Gaika Gold	18/6-19/6
11/0	Globe & Phoenix (5/)	10/6-11/0
6/10½	Gold F. Rho. (10/)	6/9-7/0
¾	Lonely Reef	⅝-¾
1⅜	Rezende	1⅛-1⅜
3/9	R. Broken Hill (5/)	3/10½-4/1½+/1½
10/6	Selukwe (2/6)	9/6-10/0—/4½
1⅜	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅜*
⅞	Sherwood Starr (5/)	⅞-1⅛
1⅛	Tanganyika	1⅛-1⅜
42/0	Vic. Falls Ord	42/6-43/6
32/9	do. Pref.	32/0-33/0
1⅛	Wankie Col. (10/)	1⅛-1⅜
5/3	Willoughby	5/3-5/6
23/0	Zambesia Expl.	25/3-25/9

DIAMOND.

¾	Angola Diamond	1⅛-1⅜
17/9	Con. D. S. W. A.	19/3-19/9—0/3
10⅝	De Beers Def.	10⅛-10⅜*
12⅝	do. Pref.	12⅛-12⅜*
2⅞	Jagersfontein	2⅞-3⅛
7/0	N. Val. River	⅝-⅞
6⅛	Premier Pf. (5/-)	6⅛-6⅜
12/3	West African	12/9-13/3—0/6

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅛	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1⅜+1/16
1/0	Associated (4/)	1/0-1/6
22/6	Broken Hill Prop	22/0-23/0
2⅛	B. Hill Sth. (New)	3⅛-3⅜—1/16
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref.	1⅛-1⅜
5⅛	North Broken Hill	5⅛-5⅜
14/6	Sulphide Ord.	15/0-16/0
13/6	South Kalgurli	13/0-14/0
32/6	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	33/0-34/0
3⅛	do. Pref.	3½-3¾*

WEST AFRICAN.

13/0	Ashanti Gold (4/)	12/6-13/0
9/0	Fanti Cons. (8/).	8/9-9/3
14/3	Gold Coast Amal.	13/6-14/0
4/0	Taquah & Abosso	4/0-4/3*

TIN.

M.U. July 6.		
14/7½	Anglo-Con. (10/-)	14/6-15/0
3⅛	Aramayo Mines	3¾-4
7/3	Bauchi Ord. (10/)	8/0-8/6+0/9
12/0	do. Pref (10/)	12/6-13/0+0/3
9/4½	Bisichi	9/6-9/9
2⅛	Gopeng	2⅛-2⅜
33/6	Ipoh	34/3-35/3+0/3
14/6	Kaduna Synd (2/)	15/0-16/0+0/6
2⅞	Kamunting	2⅝-2⅞
1⅞	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅜
3⅜	Malayan T.D.	3⅞-4 + 1/16
14/6	Mongu	14/3-14/9
21/0	Naraguta	1⅛-1¼
⅞	Pahang (5/-)	11/6-12/0—0/3
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	Renong	2⅜-2⅝ + 1/16
14/7½	Ropp (4/ Shs)	14/7½-/10½—/1½
4⅛	Siamese	4⅛-4⅜
12/3	South Bukeru	12/0-12/6
1⅞	Tavoy	28/6-30/6
3⅜	Tronoh	3⅜-3⅝*

COPPER.

12/6	Arizona (5/-)	⅞-1⅛*
1/16	Mount Elliott (£5)	⅝-⅞
20/6	Mount Lyell	20/6-21/6
6/0	Mount Morgan	5/9-6/9+0/3
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1½
38¼	Rio Tinto (£5)	40¼-40¾+ ¾
7/0	S. American (2/).	6/9-7/3

MISCELLANEOUS.

2/0	Bingo Pref.	½-¾
7/9	Brit. Platinum	7/9-8/3+0/3
14/6	Burma Corp.	14/6-14/9
7/3	Champion Reef	7/0-7/6
1⅛	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅛-1⅜+ 1/16
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6
1/6	Corderoy Synd.	1/0-1/6
1⅛	Huronian Belt	1⅛-1⅜
7/4½	Keeley Silver	7/4½-/7½
6/6	Kirkland Lake	5/9-6/3
1⅞	Mexico Mines	1⅛-1⅜+ 1/16
3⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	3⅛-3⅜
10/10½	Min. Crp. of Can.	10/6-11/0
⅞	Mysore (10/-)	13/0-14/0
6/0	Nat. Min. (8/-)	6/6-6/9+/1½
7/0	Nundydroog	6/0-7/0
⅞	Ooregum	13/6-14/6
7/6	Oroville	6/9-7/9
6/6	Porcupine Gold	5/9-6/9
16/0	St. John Del Rey	15/0-16/0
23/0	San Francisco (10/)	22/9-23/3
⅜	Santa Gertrudis	9/3-9/9
—	S. Amer. G. Areas	⅛-¼
4/9	Vipond	4/3-4/9
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅜+ 1/16

* Ex. Dividend. † Ex. Rights

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—**Consols**—56⅛, ⅛, 1/16, 3/16, ⅛, 3/16, ⅛, ⅛, 1/16. **5 p.c. War Loan**—100, 1/16, 99⅞, 15/16, 100 1/16, 1/16, ⅛, 1/16, 100. **Funding Loan**—88⅛, ⅛, 3/16, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 3/16, 1/16, 3/16. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—76⅛, ⅛, 3/16, 3/16, 5/16, 3/16, ⅛, 5/16. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—100, 99½, ⅝, ⅝, 9, ½, ½, ½, 9, ½, 100, 99½, ⅝, ⅝. **Aerated Bread**—24/9, 10½d., 5/-, 1½d., 4/6. **African and Eastern**—29/10½, 30/-, 29/6, 4½d., 6d. **Amalgamated Press**—42/-, *40/9, 2/-, 1/3, 6d., 1/-, 9d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—56/-, 10½d., 7/6, 6/6, 5/7½, 6/-, *8/6, 5/7½, 7/-, 6d., 6/3, 5/6, 6/9, 5/3, 7/-, 4/9, 5/-, 6d., 7/6, 5/9. **Assoc. Cement**—13/3, 1½d., 6d., 4½d., 5½d., 6¾d., 6d. **Associated Newspapers Def.** (x.d.)—5⅞, 13/16, 13/16. **Beecham Estates Pref.**—20/9, 20/-, 6d., 3d. **Bovril Def.**—44/-. **Brazilian Traction**—58½, ½, 9, 8½, ½. **British-American Tobacco**—106/4½, 5/9, 6/6, 6/-, 9d., 3d., 6/-, 5/9, 6/9, 3d. **British Oil and Cake**—27/9, 10½d., 7½d., 8/-, 7/4½, 10½d., 8/-, 7/10½. **Bryant and May**—51/3, 1/-. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—87½, 8, 7½, ½, 8, 7½. **Calico Printers**—33/3, 3d. **Canadian Pacific**—146½, ½, *7½, 6½, ½, 6, *7½, *½, 5½, 6½, 6. **Central Argentine Cons.**—72½, ½, ¼, 2, ½, 1½. **Coats**—59/7½. **Cook (St. Paul's) Ord.**—20/6, 1/1½, 20/3; **do. Part. Pref.**—22/9. **Courtaulds**—106/6, 10½d., 1½d., 3d., 9d., 4½d., 7/-, 6/9, 4½d., 7/-, 6/, *3d.; **do. Pref.**—18/7½, 4½d., 9d., 9½d., 10½d., 19/1½, 18/7½, 6d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/-. **Crosses and Winkfield Pref.**—6/6. **Cunard Ord.**—15/6, 10½d., 9d., 16/3, 16/-, 15/10½, 7½d.; **do. Debs.**—103½, 3, ½, 3. **"Daily Mail" Ord.** (2/- paid)—47/6, 8/9. **"Daily Mirror" Ord.**—6 3/32, 1/16, 3/32, ⅛. **Dunlop Ord.**—18/3, *7½d., 3d., 6d., 4½d., 18/-, 7½d., 6d., 4½d., 17/9, 18/3½, 6d., 17/9, 18/5½, 3½d., 17/9; **do. "C" Pref.**—23/-, 2/7½, 6d., 10½d., 3/-; **do. Debs.**—104½, ½, 3½. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—17/10½, 18/-. **English Sewing Cotton**—55/-, 4/4½, 2/6, 4/3. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—46/-, *7/-, 6/9. **General Electric Ord.** (x.d.)—23/9, 7½d., 10½d., 4/-, 3/9, 10½d., 4/-; **do. Debs.**—104½, ¼. **German 3 p.c.**—12/6; **do. 4 p.c.**—7/9, 3d.; **do. 7 p.c. External Loan**—98½, 9½, 8¾, 9¼. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—35½, 7½, 6½, 7, ½, 7, 8, 6½, 7½, ½. **Great Western Rail**—87½, 7, 6½, ½, 7½, ½, 7, 6¾; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—95, 4½, 5½, ½, *4½, 5½, 4½, 5½, *4½, 5½. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee Loan (1924)**—85½, ½, 13/16, 90, 89½, ⅝, 13/16, 90, 89 13/16. **Grout Ord.**—56/3, 8/1½. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—13/1½, 0½d., 1½d. **Harrod's Ord.**—44/-, 3/6, 3d., 4/-. **Hudson's Bay Ord.**—91/3. **Hungarian 7½ p.c. (1924)**—98½, ½, ½, ⅞, 8, 8, ⅛, ½. **Imperial Tobacco**—99/10½, 100/3, 99/9, 100/1½, *99/6, 10½d., 100/4½, 99/9, 100/-, 99/10½, 7½d., 3d.; **do. Canada**—25/10½, 9d. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/1½, 20/-, 2½d., 3d., 19/7½, 20/3, 20/-, *19/9, *10½d., 20/3, 2½d., 19/9½, 10½d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—19/10½, 20/-, 19/11½, 10½d., 9d., 8½d., 7½d., 10½d.; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—105½, 4½, 5½. **Lipton Ord.**—16/6, 17/-, 3d., 16/17½, 17/7½, 10½d., 6d., 3d., 9d., 16/9, 17/4½, 17/-. **Lister Ord.**—31/-. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—79, 8½, ¾, 9, 8½, ½, *9½, 8½, ½, ¾, 9½, 8, ¾, *7½. **London and N.E. Prefd.-Ord.**—59½, ⅛, ¼, ½, ⅛, *½, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛; **do. Def.-Ord.**—21½, 1, ⅛, ⅛, ¼, ⅛, ⅛, 3/16. **Lyons (J.) and Co., Ord.**—75/-, 3/9, 1½d., *70/-. **Marconi Ord.**—27/10½, 7½d., 8/-, 7/6, 7/-, 8/-, 7/9; **do. Marine**—17/6; **do. Canada**—4/-. **Maypole Def.**—6/0½, 5/10½, 11½d., 6/0½, 5/11½. **Metropolitan Rail**—67½, 8½, 8, ½, 7½, ½; **do. District** (x.d.)—45½. **Niger 8 p.c. Pref.**—20/6, 3d., 6d. **Nobel Indus.**—23/1½, 9d., 3d., 4½d.; **do. Pref.**—21/3, 6d., 1/-; **do. Deferred**—10/-, 3d. **Parent Def.**—37/7½. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—31⅞, 2, 1⅞, ⅞. **Phillips Godfrey Ord.**—41/3, 40/7½, 1/-, 40/-, 1/-. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—98½. **Rubber Trust**—44/9, 3/6, 4/-, 3/9, 4/7½, 5/-, 4/-, 3d., 9d., 6d., 1½d., 4½d., 5/-, 4/4½, 1½d., 10½d., 3d., 5/6, 3/6, 6/7½, 3/10½, 5/3, 6d., 3/10½, *4/10½, 6d., 5/9, 6/7½, 5/6, 7½d., *3/3. **Selfridge Ord.**—28/6; **do. Pref.**—23/4½, *2/9. **Southern Rail Pref.-Ord.**—75½, ⅝, ⅝, ⅝, ½, ⅝, *5, *½; **do. Def.-Ord.**—39½, ⅝, ⅝, ⅝, ⅝, *½. **Sudan Plantations**—7, 6 15/16, 7 1/16, 7. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—77/6, 5/7½, 6/10½. **Swedish Match "B"**—10 11/16, ⅝, 11/16, ⅝, 11/16, ⅝, ½, 11/16, 11/16. **Underground Income Bonds**—98. **Union Cold Storage 6 p.c. Pref.**—20/3, 14d. **United Dairies**—37/9, 6d., 3d., 8/-. **United of Havana Rail**—98½, ½, ½, ⅜, 9½, 8½, ½, 9½, 8½. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—13/3. **United Tobacco**—87/-, *6/3. **Vickers**—7/-, 6/9, 7½d., 10½d., 9¾d., *9d., 7/-, 6/9. **Watney Combe Def.**—285, 7, 5, 7, 4½, 6, 5, 7½, 2, 3, 2, 7½, 6½, 3½, *80. **Westminster Bank**—18 11/16, ⅝, 11/16, £18 12/3, 18⅝. **Workman Clark Debs.**—15½.

(*Exceptional bargain at special price.)

IRISH BANK REPORT.

THE NATIONAL BANK, LTD.

The report and balance sheet of the National Bank are published in our issue of to-day. As already announced, the dividend is at the unchanged rate of 14 per cent. per annum, or 14s. per share, less tax. The net profit is £186,806, £5,300 more than in June, 1924. Reserve and premises get £50,000, against £75,000 at this time last year. The reserve fund now stands at £1,250,000, almost equal to the paid-up capital. The balance sheet figures show a very sound position. Note circulation is greater by £222,375, and deposits have fallen by £1,391,249. This includes the temporary deposit of £895,400, which does not appear in the balance sheet. On the other hand, advances to customers have increased by £74,464, both these features of lower deposits and higher advances being common to Irish bank balance sheets published so far. Cash shows a slight increase, and investments are about a million lower. The total assets amount to £44,413,079, about £1,248,900 less than this time last year. It will be seen from the balance sheet that the liquid assets represent fully 57 per cent. of the bank's liabilities to the public, as compared with 57 per cent. in December last and 54 per cent. in June, 1924. The report records the deaths of Lord MacDonnell and Mr. P. W. Stafford, two of the directors, and since the report was printed Sir William Goulding has also passed away. Mr. John Philip Butler and the Hon. H. E. Fitzalan-Howard have been co-opted to fill two of the vacancies. The annual meeting will be held at the College Green head office on Thursday, the 30th instant, when the Chairman will, no doubt, present his usual interesting review of the state of trade and agriculture in Ireland during the trying period that has elapsed since he last presided at a meeting in Dublin.

The following tables show the position of the bank in June and December, 1924, and in June, 1925:—

	June 1924. £	Dec. 1924. £	June 1925. £
Net Profit	181,489	179,780	186,806
Dividend	*14 p.c.	*14 p.c.	*14 p.c.
To Reserve	50,000	25,000	25,000
To Premises	25,000	25,000	25,000
Brought In	28,925	28,133	29,539
Forward	28,133	29,539	30,971
Capital	1,500,000	1,500,000	1,500,000
Reserve	1,200,000	1,225,000	1,250,000
Note Circulation	2,908,466	3,172,081	3,130,841
Deposits	39,731,141	39,512,415	38,340,892
Special Temporary Deposit	—	895,400	—
Cash & at Call	7,922,213	9,150,877	7,964,443
Investments	17,374,712	17,391,033	16,406,309
Bills Discounted	2,778,363	2,880,323	2,719,670
Advances	16,485,498	16,285,399	16,559,962
Premises	739,254	780,177	762,693
Total Assets	43,662,022	46,483,798	44,413,079

*Less tax.

PROVINCIAL TRAMWAYS.

DEBENTURE HOLDERS' MEETING.

The adjourned meeting of Debenture Stockholders of the Provincial Tramways Company, Ltd., was held in Jury's Hotel, Dublin, yesterday, Mr. John Mackie, chairman, presiding. The other directors present were Messrs. Pepyat, W. Evans, and H. L. White.

The Chairman, in the course of a statement, said they had been successful in getting the sum of £109,848 in connection with the Grimsby Tramway Company—a subsidiary undertaking sold to the Grimsby Corporation—and after making certain deductions there was available for distribution the sum of £91,846. The proposal of the directors was that certain terms of Old Debenture Deed should be departed from and they proposed something that would operate fairly towards all Debenture holders. It was desirable to strengthen the resources of the company to enable it to continue to earn profits—that would be helpful even if the company had to go into liquidation. The directors, therefore, proposed to pay 50 per cent. in cash on the Old Debentures and 50 per cent. in New Debentures carrying 5½ per cent. interest, extending the period of payment from 1927 to 1940. They thought the scheme an equitable one, and had no ulterior motive, but if the Provincial Tramway Company's property was to be maintained for the Debenture holders it must be maintained as a profit-earning concern, and for that purpose they required a certain amount of money. He proposed a resolution that the meeting sanction the modifications of the rights of the Debenture holders under the Trust Deed, and that the company be at liberty to redeem such stock by payment in cash to the holders of one half the nominal amount, and that the date for the redemption of the balance be the 1st November, 1940, instead of 1st November, 1927. The resolution also proposed that the interest on the balance of the stock be 5½ per cent.

Mr. P. W. Evans formally seconded the resolution.

Mr. Coll said that the shareholders were never called together to alter a trust deed in their favour. Like Esau of old, they were being asked to give up their inheritance, the mess of pottage in this case being the added half per cent. interest that the remaining 50 per cent. stock was to pay. He thought that the company, which was admittedly in a parlous state, should pay at least 7½ per cent. To offer 5½ per cent. on a forced loan was ridiculous. There were £70,000 debentures held in the city and county of Dublin, and he hoped these holders would vote against the proposal, which, he believed, was not to their advantage. He also contended that a proper sinking fund should be made obligatory on the company.

Mr. Dunne thought that it would be a selfish thing for the Debenture holders to cut out all the money and leave the company in an unworkable position. It would be strangling the concern.

Mr. Smalley said that from an examination of the position he had come to the independent conclusion that the proposal of the directors was most reasonable. If the bondholders insisted on their pound of flesh it would mean the breaking up of the company.

Mr. Byrne was not inclined to accept the resolution.

Mr. Telford said that the scheme was simple, fifty per cent. in cash and fifty per cent. redeemable in 1940 on which an increased interest would meantime be paid. There was no use demanding the pound of flesh when it was not there. He thought that in their own interests it was far better to accept the proposals in the scheme than to wind up the company. If the company were wound up at present they would have no chance of getting debentures paid.

The resolution was put to the meeting and carried.

Resolutions were also passed authorising the trustees to concur in the modifications, and calling on the shareholders within 21 days to deposit their certificates with the company.

STABLEMAN AND RACEHORSES PERISH.

BERLIN, Tuesday.

One of the stables at the Bahrenfeld Racecourse, near Hamburg, has been completely destroyed by fire. Thirty-six horses were rescued, but fourteen valuable ones perished in the flames, including some bought in England. The stableman, whose negligence caused the outbreak, also perished.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather.—Easterly wind, light breeze; dull and overcast.

Foreign Arrival.—Ss. Teelin Head, of Belfast, 369 tons register, Captain Wilson, from Hamburg, via Waterford, with a general cargo; discharged at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension, and proceeded to Irvine with part cargo.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Ss. Lady Louth, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Lady Cloe, from London, with passengers and goods; ss. Moorfowl, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Yarrow, from Silloth, with passengers and goods; ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dungeness, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Lady Kildare, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Braemore, ss. Gracehill, ss. Jessie Summerfield, ss. Elsie Thomas, from Garston, with coals; ss. Silverthorn, ss. Ruby, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Mango, from Liverpool, with coals; ss. Walnut, from Whitehaven, with coals; ss. Glenconwy, from Manchester, with coals; ss. Prase, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Silverfield, from Preston, with coals; ss. Daisy, from Birkenhead, with coals; ss. Glenageary, from Partington, with coals; ss. Nugget, from Newport, with coals; ss. Doris Thomas, from Liverpool, with wheat; ss. Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empty barrels.

Foreign Departures.—Ss. Vittorio Emmanuele III., of Seattle, 3,601 tons register, Captain Owen, for New York, via Cardiff, with general cargo; ss. Zena, of Glasgow, 875 tons register, Captain Thomson, for Glasgow, with part cargo (general); ss. Grania, of Dublin, 396 tons register, Captain Hagan, for Boulogne and Havre, with general cargo.

Coastwise Departures.—Ss. Lady Louth, for Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Moorfowl, for Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Brier, for Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Snowdon, ss. Slievemore, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dungeness, for Waterford, with goods; ss. Kingstown, for Newport, light; ss. Rebecca, for Irvine, light; ss. Cairngorm, for Llandulas, light; ss. Stainburn, for Whitehaven, light; ss. Ashfield, for Trevor, light; ss. Achill, for Ayr, light; ss. E. Hayward, for Piel, light.

THE MONEY MARKET.

CONDITIONS UNCHANGED.

Conditions showed little alteration in Lombard street yesterday. Most daily loans were arranged at 3⅝ p.c., but 3½ p.c. was accepted late in the day. Weekly fixtures continued at 3⅝ p.c. Although the recent heavy gold arrivals have not directly eased the situation, it is probable that higher rates would now be prevailing on account of the ingathering of income tax. Discounts reflect the real position, rates still being quite weak at 3⅝ p.c. for three months' bills and 3 11/16 p.c. for four months.

Bank Rate Discount (changed March 5, 1925), 5%.

60 days (fine)	4⅛	4⅜%	Trade	5¼	5½%
3 months	4⅛	4⅜%			5½%
4 months		4⅜%		5½	6%
6 months	4⅛	4⅜%			
Loans to brokers day-to-day				3¼	3%
for a week					3¾%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call					3%
Discount houses at call					3%
at notice					3¼%

Spot silver was unchanged at 32¼d., but forward reacted 1/16d. to the same figure. Business was on a small scale. The market price of gold advanced 1d. to 84s. 11½d. per fine ounce. A moderate demand from India was reported. The Bank of England announced the purchase of £100,000 of bar gold, the sale of £80,000 of bar gold, and the export to India of £136,000 in sovereigns and to Singapore of £28,000 in sovereigns. The net influx for the week ended July 15 amounts to £2,703,000.

In their weekly report, Messrs. Pixley and Abell state that, although the China banks are quiet, a fair amount of business has been done during the past week, a special buying order, the destination of which is unknown, having been filled. The Indian bazaars are showing little interest, and only a small amount has been taken as yet for shipment this week.

Moderate improvements were shown in the currencies of France, Belgium, and Spain. The French rate finished below 103 and the Belgian at under 104⅞, while Italy closed at 130⅞. There was a reaction in the Norwegian and Danish currencies, both moving in our favour, and Polish zlotys and Rumanian lei were cheaper. Otherwise the European rates did not vary much. The American exchange finished a little dull at 4.86 1/16. Argentine and Uruguayan dollars were rather easier. Among the Eastern exchanges, the Calcutta rate declined 1/16 to 1s. 6 1/16d., and the yen reacted to 1s. 8 1/16d.

—	July 15. Highest and Lowest.		July 14. Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.12½	12.13½	12.13	12.13½	12.10
B. Ayres	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	47.58
Barcelona	33.48	33.50	33.49	33.51	25.22
Berlin	20.41	20.42½	20.41	20.43	20.40
Brussels	104.60	105.10	104.85	104.95	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6⅛		1/6⅛		2/0
Copenhagen	23.38	23.48	23.35	23.40	18.15
Finland	192½	193	193	193½	25.22½
Geneva	25.03½	25.04	25.03½	25.04	25.29
Greece	302½	303	302	304	25.22½
Italy	130½	131½	131½	131½	25.22½
Kobe (p.yn.)	1/8⅛		1/8⅛		24.58d.
Madrid	33.48	33.51	33.48	33.50	25.22½
Montreal	4.85⅛	4.85⅞	4.85¾	4.86	4.86
Montevideo	48½d.	48⅝d.	48½d.	48⅝d.	51d.
New York	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86⅛	4.86
Oslo	27.20	27.40	27.07	27.10	18.15
Paris	103.05	103.65	103.45	103.55	25.22
Prague	164	164½	163⅞	164½	24.02
Rio de Jan.	5⅞	5⅞	6⅛	5⅞	16d.
Shanghai	3/1¾		3/1¾		—
Singapore	2/4⅛		2/4⅛		2 4⅛
Stockholm	18.09	18.10	18.09	18.10	18.15
Vienna	34.55	34.60	34.55	34.60	34.58½
Warsaw	25.40	25.45	25.35	25.45	25.22½

*Sch. to £. † Nominal.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

HIBERNIAN BANK.—10 per cent. per annum (5/- per share), free of tax, £15,000 to reserve, £7,250 to income tax suspense, £5,000 reduction of bank premises, £16,758 forward (dividend 4/6 per share in June last, tax free, with £20,000 to reserve, £7,500 to income tax suspense account, £5,000 to premises, and £23,080 forward. In December the dividend was 5/- per share, tax free).

NATIONAL BANK.—14 per cent. per annum (14/- per share), £25,000 to reserve, £35,000 to income tax and contingencies, £25,000 in reduction of bank premises, £12,000 to Staff Widows' and Orphans' Fund, £30,971 forward (dividend same).

ASSOCIATED BELTING CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ord. shares, leaving to carry forward £13,879.

ASHTON BROTHERS AND CO.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. actual, less tax, on Ordinary shares.

BANK OF ROUMANIA.—Final dividend for 1924 of 3/-, less tax, making 6/- per share, less tax, for year.

BANKERS' AND TRADERS' INSURANCE.—6 per cent. dividend, leaving £3,080 to carry forward.

BANTJES CONSOLIDATED MINES (IN LIQUIDATION).—A fourth and final liquidation distribution of 1/9½ per share, bringing the total distribution up to 8/9½.

BRITISH INVESTMENT TRUST.—Interim dividends at rate of 5 per cent. on Preferred stock and at rate of 16 per cent. on Deferred stock, both for half year, payable less income tax.

ENGLISH SEWING COTTON.—Report states that for the year ended March 31 last, after providing for the depreciation, debenture interest, income and Corporation profits taxes, directors and auditors' fees, and law charges, the net profit amounts to £450,129, and balance brought forward was £163,359, making £613,488. Directors recommend a final dividend of 10 per cent. on issued Ordinary shares, making, with the interim dividend of 5 per cent. already paid, 15 per cent. for the year, bonus on issued Ordinary shares of 5 per cent. or 1/- per share, pension fund for employees £11,692, carried forward £153,797.

EMERALD RUBBER.—Dividend of 10 per cent., less tax, for year.

GLOUCESTER RAILWAY CARRIAGE AND WAGON.—Dividend for year at 5 per cent. less tax.

HUNTER BARR AND CO.—Interim dividend on Pref. and Ord. at rate of 6 per cent. per annum for half-year ended June 15, 1925.

METROPOLITAN TRUST.—Interim dividend of £7 per cent. actual on Ord. Stock, less tax.

NORTH ROPP RIVER TIN.—Interim dividend on account of current year at rate of 10 per cent., less tax.

PORT DICKSON (LUKUT) RUBBER.—Dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax.

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA.—Dividend on Capital Stock of 3 per cent. for three months ending August 31, 1925.

SAMNUGGUR JUTE.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord., less tax.

SARAWAK RUBBER.—Final dividend for year ended March 31, 1925, 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for year. Interim dividend on account of year ending March 31, 1926, 10 per cent.; both dividends less tax.

S. HOFFNUNG AND CO.—Dividend of 15 per cent. for the year on Ord. shares, bonus of 1/- per share on Ord. shares.

THRELFALL'S BREWERY CO., LTD.—Dividend at rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the Preference Shares and 20 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary for the half-year ended June 30, 1925, making 6 per cent. on the Preference and 20 per cent. on the Ordinary for the financial year, both subject to deduction of tax. The net profit was £301,816 for the year. The carry forward is £288,613.

TITAGHUR JUTE.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord., less tax.

VALLAMBROSA RUBBER.—Dividend of 1/- per share, less tax, in respect of year ending March 31, 1925.

VICTORIA JUTE.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent. on Ord., less tax.

TRAFFICS.

International Railways of Central America.—June net earnings—Increase £4,998. United Railways of Havana—Decrease £14,255. Central Argentine Railway—Decrease £31,000. Argentine N.E. Railway—Increase £1,600. Antofagasta and Bolivia Railway—Increase £13,780. Entre Rios Railway—Decrease £1,100. Cordoba Central—Increase £300. B.A. and Pacific Railway—Decrease £21,000. B.A. Western—Decrease £20,000. Barsi Light Railway—Decrease Rs. 4,400. Leopoldina Railway—Increase £198. B.A.G.S.—Decrease £30,000 (including £8,000 approximate gross receipts Bahia Blanca and North Western Railways Co.). Assam Bengal Railway—Increase Rs. 62,667. Central Uruguay—Decrease £4,440. Ditto Eastern—Increase £562. Ditto Northern—Decrease £87. Ditto Western—Decrease £665. B.A. Lacroze Tramways—Decrease £262. B.A. Central Railway—Decrease £3,365. Havana Central Railroad—Increase £707. Singapore Electric Tramways—Increase $768. Underground Electric Railways Co. of London—Week to July 12, Common Fund Companies, £269,164, decrease £5,624; January 1, £6,817,226, increase £448,453. London and Suburban Traction Group—£41,307, decrease £4,965; Jan. 1, £1,032,096, decrease £10,064.

L.N.E. Railway—Week to July 11, £1,200,000, decrease £14,000; 28 weeks, £29,813,000, decrease £587,000. Southern Railway—Week to July 12, £519,000, decrease £7,000; 28 weeks, £11,809,000, increase £76,000. Great Western Railway—Week to July 12, £653,000, decrease £11,000; 28 weeks, £5,874,000, decrease £304,000. L.M.S.—£1,646,000, increase £17,000; 28 weeks, £39,965,000, decrease £644,000.

BUILDING.

A statement of imports for the first three months of this year, compared with the corresponding period last year, gives some indication of the conditions of Irish industry. This statement furnished by the Statistics Branch of the Department of Industry and Commerce is published in our Building Pages to-day. One notable feature of it is the large increase in the quantity of cement imported. In the Building Pages the following are also referred to:—

Belting.
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Building.
Building Sites.
Cast Iron Work.
Cement.
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Concrete Mixers.
Concreting.
Contracting.
Decorative Plaster.
Distempers.
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Earthenware Pipes.
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Floors.
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French Cement.
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Gates.
Hardwoods.
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Hinges.
Locks.
Macadam Plant.
Machinery.
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Nails.
Oxide of Zinc.
Paints.
Pipes.
Plastering.
Plaster of Paris Plant.
Plaster Board.
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THE NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1835.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £7,500,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000.
RESERVE FUND £1,225,000.

REPORT

TO BE PRESENTED TO THE PROPRIETORS AT THE HALF-YEARLY GENERAL MEETING, TO BE HELD AT No. 34 COLLEGE GREEN, DUBLIN, ON THURSDAY, 30th JULY, 1925, AT TWELVE NOON.

1. The Profit and Loss Account for the Half-year ended the 30th June, 1925, including £29,539 2s. 11d. brought forward from the 31st December last, shows a Balance of £216,346 0s. 10d. available for distribution.

2. The Board have declared a Dividend for the past half-year at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum, or 14s. per Share (£10 paid), *less* British Tax at 3s. 2d. in the £. The Dividend will be payable on and after Saturday, 1st proximo.

3. The Dividend absorbs £88,375, leaving a balance of £127,971 0s. 10d. to be dealt with. Of this sum the Directors have transferred £25,000 to the Reserve Fund, £35,000 to Income Tax and Contingencies Account, and £25,000 in reduction of Bank Premises Account. They have also decided to inaugurate, with the approval of the Shareholders, a Staff Widows' and Orphans' Fund, and in anticipation of such approval have transferred thereto the sum of £12,000. £30,971 0s. 10d. has been carried forward to Profit and Loss New Account.

4. The Directors much regret to have to report the deaths, since the last Meeting, of their esteemed and valued colleagues, PATRICK WALTER STAFFORD, Esq., and LORD MacDONNELL OF SWINFORD. The vacancies thus created have been filled by the co-option of JOHN PHILIP BUTLER, Esq., and Captain the Hon. HENRY EDMUND FITZALAN-HOWARD, and these elections will come up for confirmation at the Meeting.

5. A form of Proxy is sent for the convenience of such Proprietors as may be unable to attend the Meeting and are qualified to vote by reason of being holders of not fewer than 15 Shares. To be available the Proxies must be lodged at the Company's Office at 34 College Green, Dublin, at least forty-eight hours before the time fixed for the Meeting. The Board will therefore be obliged by Shareholders who cannot attend the Meeting signing and returning the Proxy form without delay.

6. Since the Annual General Meeting, the Sub-Office at Taghmon, Co. Wexford, has been constituted a permanent Branch, and a Sub-Office has been opened at Borris.

15th July, 1925. J. B. MEERS, Chairman.

BALANCE SHEET, 30th June, 1925.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
To Capital paid-up on 150,000 Shares	1,500,000	0	0	By Cash on hand at Head Office, Branches, and Bank of England	4,124,403	5	7
" Reserve Fund (Government Securities)	1,225,000	0	0	" Money at Call and at Short Notice, including Stock Exchange Loans and British Treasury Bills	3,840,041	0	0
" Notes in Circulation	3,130,841	0	0	" National War Bonds and Exchequer Bonds, maturing 1926/30, and War Loan 5 per cent., 1929/47	11,143,442	2	5
" Amount due by the Bank on Deposit, Current, and other Accounts	38,340,892	11	10	" Government Securities, including Reserve Fund	4,911,850	15	11
" Net Profits for the Half-year £186,806 17 11 Brought forward from the 31st December, 1924 ... 29,539 2 11	216,346	0	10	" Corporation, Railway and other Stocks	351,316	17	5
				" Advances on Securities at sundry dates, and Current Accounts	16,559,962	16	3
				" Bills discounted	2,719,670	0	5
				" Bank Premises — London, Dublin and Branches, Freehold and Leasehold (at cost, less depreciation)	762,693	15	8
	£44,413,079	12	8		£44,413,079	12	8

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.
For Half-year ended 30th June, 1925.

Dr.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Cr.	£ s. d.
To Total Expenditure at Head Office and Branches, including Salaries, Bonus, Rent, Taxes, Maintenance of Bank Premises, etc., etc.		280,606 3 6	By Amount brought from last Account	29,539 2 11
" Half-year's Dividend to 30th June, 1925, at 14 per cent.	105,000 0 0		" Gross Profits for the Half-year ended the 30th June, 1925, after payment of Interest, Income Tax, Duty on Circulation, allowance for Rebate on Bills not due, and full provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts	467,413 1 5
Less British Tax at 3/2 in the £	16,625 0 0			
	88,375 0 0			
" Amount carried to Income Tax and Contingencies Account	35,000 0 0			
" Amount carried to Reserve Fund	25,000 0 0			
" Amount transferred in reduction of Bank Premises	25,000 0 0			
" Amount carried to Staff Widows' and Orphans' Fund	12,000 0 0			
" Balance to Credit of Profit and Loss New Account	30,971 0 10			
		216,346 0 10		
		£496,952 4 4		£496,952 4 4
			By Balance to Profit and Loss New Account	£30,971 0 10

J. B. MEERS, Chairman,
THOS. H. GRATTAN ESMONDE, Deputy-Chairman, } Directors.
C. F. HIGGINSON,
E. S. GOADBY, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE NATIONAL BANK LIMITED.

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account for the Half-year ended the 30th June, 1925. We have verified the Cash on hand at Head Office, the Cash in Bank of England, the Money at Call and Short Notice, and the Securities representing the Investments of the Bank. We have examined and checked the Certified Returns from all the various Branches. We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required.

In our opinion such Balance Sheet and Account are properly drawn up, and exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us—and as shown by the said Returns and the Books of the Company.

10th July, 1925.

CHARLES FOX, F.C.A.,
DAVID MACDONALD,
THOMAS GEOGHEGAN, F.C.A., } Auditors.

SWIMMING.

ARKLOW S.C. GALA.

SURPRISE IN 880 YARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Arklow S.C. Gala in the Dock, Arklow, yesterday, was highly successful, a crowd of about 5,000 being present to witness a very interesting display, in which most of the Dublin swimming clubs were represented. The main item on the programme—the 880 yards championship of Ireland—proved also the most exciting event, the result being in doubt until about twenty-five yards from the finish, when the leader, H. F. Case, jun., was accidentally fouled twice, two of the swimmers in the race colliding almost head on with him. The result of the collisions was to destroy the chance of young Case, almost the winning one, at the time he was interfered with. C. P. Kenna, of Sandycove, won by three yards, and on his swimming throughout the race, rather deserved his victory. Hayes Dockrell, the holder, disappointed throughout, and retired with 110 yards to go, when his chance, even of a place, was hopeless.

The programme was followed to the finish with great interest by the crowd, every item being cordially applauded. Details:—

30 Yards Boys (Club).—J. Costello, 1; W. Doyle, 2; M. Murphy, 3. 5 competed. Time—40 secs.

100 Yards (Club).—P. L. McCarthy (scr.), 1; J. Fleming (6), 2. Time—104 secs.

100 Yards (Open).—First Heat—W. Maguire (17), 1; D. O'Neill (20), 2; A. Browne (25), 3. 9 competed. Time—98 secs. Second Heat—M. Roche (11), 1; A. B. Brookes (6), 2; J. Mulally (14), 3. 8 competed. Time—84 2-5 secs. Third Heat—T. D. Wallace (16), 1; J. Quinn (8), 2; M. Dockrell (12), 3. 7 competed. Time—94 secs. Final—Maguire, 1; Quinn, 2; Brookes, 3. Time—91 secs.

Half Mile Championship of Ireland.—The starters drew for positions as follows:—T. H. Dockrell (Dublin University), 1; C. P. Kenna (Sandycove), 2; M. A. O'Connor (Dublin), 3; R. K. Boylan (University College), 4; I. G. M. McCreery (Pembroke), 5; H. F. Case (Clontarf), 6.

Case made the pace from the start, and led at the first turn from O'Connor and Kenna, Dockrell being two yards behind at this stage. The order was the same at 110 yards, but at the next turn (165 yards), Kenna went in front of O'Connor. Case increased his lead over Kenna in the next few lengths, and with 385 yards to go the holder was 55 yards behind the leader. Case entered on the last 220 with a lead of 12 yards from Kenna, but the latter was going well. At the next turn the Sandycove man had reduced the lead, and he improved his position still further when the last 110 yards was entered upon. With 55, 40, and 30 yards to go, Case was in the van, but was then accidentally fouled by one of the other contestants, and Kenna went in front amidst great excitement. Case was again fouled inside of the next 5 yards, and his chance of a victory was definitely removed thereby, Kenna winning by 3 yards in 14 mins. 2 1-5 secs. M. A. O'Connor was third, over a length behind.

220 Yards (Open).—T. Sheridan, 1; R. Sheridan, 2; E. St. John Lyburn, 3. 12 competed.

Diving (Open).—M. P. Heron, 1; E. Heron, 2; R. Mather, 3. 7 competed.

Water Polo.—Mr. H. G. Ellerker's team, 4 goals; Mr. H. F. Brennan's team, 4 goals.

The prizes were presented by the Earl of Wicklow.

CLUB NOTICES.

SANDYCOVE.—Club races held at Blackrock Baths on Tuesday:—880 Yards Men's Handicap—1st, M. Brady (130); 2nd, J. Burke (130); 3rd, D. Healy (190). Twenty competed. 50 Yards Ladies' Handicap—1st, Miss Smith (15); 2nd, Miss Dixon (12); 3rd, Miss Muntz (8). Time—46 secs. 220 Yards, Egan Cup (Mixed)—Final at Blackrock Baths on Monday, 20th, at 6.45 p.m. The club photograph will be taken on Tuesday, 21st, at Blackrock Baths. All members and cup-holders are requested to attend with cups.

BRAY.—On Sunday the club held their first annual race for the Savage-Smith Cup, a 1,200 yards handicap, for ladies and men, from Naylor's Cove, Bray Head, to the Public Baths. Five of the twenty starters were ladies, and all completed the course, and afterwards competed in a 50 yards handicap. 1,200 Yards Handicap—C. Walsh (3 mins. 15 secs.), 1; E Roberts (3 mins. 15 secs.), 2; Miss M. Sloan (5 mins.), 3; J. Corcoran (4 mins. 30 secs.), 4; M. Doyle (1 min. 35 secs.), 5; Miss M. Rose (5 mins.), 0. Won by 10 yards. Time—30 mins. 35 4-5 secs. Twenty competed. 33 Yards (Juveniles)—J. Bailey (4 secs.), 1; P. Bailey (scr.), 2; J. Breheny (7 secs.), 3. Seven competed. Ladies' 50 Yards—Miss M. Murphy (3 secs.), 1; Miss M. O'Carroll (5 secs.), 2; Miss S. O'Neill (scr.), 3. Fourteen competed.

DUBLIN (Ladies' Section).—This evening, at Blackrock Baths, 100 Yards Handicap and Junior Race, at 6 o'clock. Men's Section.—220 Yards Scratch Race (Ormonde Cup) and Combined Sealed Handicap, at 6.30.

HALF-MOON.—In sultry weather, the Diving Championship of the club was revived after a lapse of a year owing to the Tailteann Games. The first to dive was M. P. Heron, followed by B. Walshe, W. Carroll, E. Heron, C. R. Batt and P. Carr. The diving was exceedingly good. Result:—C. R. Batt, 1; E. Heron, 2; W. Carroll, 3. Batt won by half a point, while a point separated second and third. Next Sunday—Competition for the President's (O'Brien) Cup, 12 o'clock sharp.

SHOOTING.

THE KING'S BRONZE MEDALLIST.

Armourer Staff-Sergeant J. Uglow (late R.A.O.C.), of Thorverton, near Exeter, took the bronze medal in the first stage of the shoot for the King's Prize at Bisley yesterday, scoring 104.

ENGLISH SOCCER TEAM IN AUSTRALIA

CESSNOCKS, N.S.W., Wednesday.

In an Association football match here to-day, the English touring side defeated South Maitland by four goals to one.

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NATIONAL ARMY SPORTS.

EASTERN COMMAND CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Last evening, at the Hibernian Military Schools' sports grounds, the Eastern Command held their championship. No. 3 Army Band, under the direction of Sergeant-Major Flahive, played during the afternoon. The attendance was good, but the competition not as keen as expected. Results:—

16lb. Shot—Cpl. Higgins (17th Batt., Mullingar), 37ft. 1in., 1; Pte. J. O'Mahony (27th Batt., Hibernian Schools), 32ft. 7½in., 2. Seven competed.

100 Yards.—First Heat—Lieut. Phelan (27th Batt.), 1; Cpl. Kelly (23rd Batt.), 2. Six competed. Second Heat—Sgt. Hennessy (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Pte. McAlinden (do.), 2. Five competed. Final—Hennessy, 1; McAlinden, 2; Kelly, 3. Won by two yards; one yard. Time, 11 secs.

Long Jump.—Cpl. Kelly (23rd Batt.), 18ft. 9½in., 1; Capt. Connolly (H.Q. Batt.), 18ft. 1in., 2. Eight competed.

880 Yards.—Cpl. Ray (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Pte. Moorehouse (do.), 2; Sgt. Furlong (27th Batt.), 3. Won by ten yards; fifteen yards. Five competed.

Hop, Step and Jump.—Cpl. Conlon (13th Batt.), 39ft. 10½in., 1; Sgt. Fenneral (23rd Batt.), 39ft. 1in., 2. Nine competed.

220 Yards.—First Heat—Sgt. Hennessy (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Lieut. Phelan (27th Batt.), 2. Second Heat—Cpl. Kelly (23rd Batt.), 1; Sgt. Furlong (27th Batt.), 2. Final—Hennessy, 1; Phelan, 2; Kelly, 3. Won by eight yards; inches.

High Jump.—Sgt. Fenneral (23rd Batt.), 5ft. 1in., 1; Cpl. Conlon (13th Batt.) and R. Q.M.S. Dewney (7th Batt.) tied at 4ft. 11in. for second place. Conlon won on toss.

One Mile Flat.—Cpl. Ray (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Pte. Moore (17th Batt.), 2; Pte. Malone (7th Batt.), 3. Eight started; four finished. Won by twenty yards; five yards. Ray led throughout and won easily.

Pole Jump.—Capt. Tuite (22nd Batt.), 8ft. 1in., 1; Cpl. Morrissey (22nd Batt.), 7ft. 6in., 2. Three competed.

440 Yards Flat.—Sgt. Hennessy (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Pte. Spittle (do.), 2; Cpl. Kelly (23rd Batt.), 3. Seven competed. Won by five yards; one yard.

Throwing the Javelin.—Pte. O'Mahoney (27th Batt.), 100ft. 6in., 1; Capt. Tuite (22nd Batt.), 100ft. 4in., 2. Five competed.

Inter-Battalion Race (two miles) (teams of six, four to finish)—27th Batt. (Sgt. Brophy, Cpl. O'Brien, Ptes. Cronin and Mulqueen) were the only team to finish four. Individual placings were:—Pte. Newton (H.Q. Batt.), 1; Pte. McCarthy (17th Batt.), 2; Pte. Deans (13th Batt.), 3. Five battalions competed.

Relay Race.—H.Q. Batt. (Sgt. Hennessy, Cpl. Ray, Ptes. McAlinden and Spittle), w.o.

COMPANY NOTICES.

THE NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED,
13 OLD BROAD STREET, LONDON, E.C. 2.
15th July, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that the next Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Members of The National Bank, Limited, will be held at the Office of the Bank, No. 34 College Green, in the City of Dublin, on Thursday, the 30th day of July, 1925, at 12 noon of that day.

At this Meeting the Directors will submit their Report and Balance Sheet for the Half-year to the 30th June, 1925.

Notice is also hereby given that, since the last Half-Yearly Meeting, held in Dublin on 31st July, 1924, the Directors have co-opted to the Board Mr. John Philip Butler, of Killiney, Co. Dublin, and Captain the Hon. Edmund Fitzalan-Howard, of Derwent Hall, field, to fill the vacancies caused respectively by the death of Mr. Patrick Walter Stafford and Lord MacDonnell of Swinford. These elections will be submitted for confirmation at the Meeting.

By Order of the Board.
E. S. GOADBY, Secretary.

N.B.—The books of the Bank for the registration of Transfer Deeds (both in London and Dublin) were Closed on Monday, and will so remain until after Saturday instant.

COX'S AUCTION OF FURNITURE & PIANOS AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK TO-MORROW, AT 12.30 o'c.

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IN THE MATTER OF A PETITION FOR ARRANGEMENT.

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SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

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